



22 August 2012

Mr A Harris Via email <u>fyi-request-449-307301eb@requests.fyi.org.nz</u>

Dear Mr Harris

RE: OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

I refer to your email of 30 July 2012, which the Serious Fraud Office (SFO) is treating as a request for information under the Official Information Act 1982.

The information that you have requested relates to the SFO's submission to the Law Commission regarding the Review of Official Information Legislation. Specifically, you requested:

- "* a copy of your submission
- * all drafts, advice, and internal communications (including emails) relating to that submission"

The SFO responded to the Review of Official Information Legislation via a letter dated 9 December 2010. The SFO has not retained a copy of the Law Commission's letter and has not retained drafts of the response. The only information that has been retained is a copy of the response. A copy of that response, dated 9 December 2010, is available online at:

http://www.lawcom.govt.nz/sites/default/files/publications/2012/08/all submissions nzlc ip18.pdf

Accordingly, we are declining your request for information under Section 18(d) of the Official Information Act 1982, as the information that you have requested is or will soon be publically available.

You have the right to request the Ombudsmen to investigate and review the response to your request. The address details are:

Level 10 55-65 Shortland Street PO Box 1960 Shortland Street Auckland 1140

Yours sincerely

Owen Turner Liaison Officer

Fraud Detection and Intelligence Unit