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Zane Collins

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Dear Mr Collins

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your request for information of 27 August 2016. Under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) you request the following:

*"I would like to know who is monitoring the judges decisions and direction in the family court closed secret hearing rooms? Or are they allowed to abuse NZ citizens and violate their rights? Any juries are involved in complex cases to give fair decisions for NZ families in terms of custody and disputes?"*

Under section 14 of the Act, I have transferred this request to Andrew Bridgman Secretary for Justice, as the information you request is more closely related to the functions of the Ministry of Justice.

The Ministry of Justice will consider your request in accordance with the Act.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "A. Gleadow".

Adelaide Gleadow

Private Secretary Justice and Courts

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**Hon Amy Adams**