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Ref: DOIA 1617-0443

Dear Ms Longdill,

Thank you for your email of 6 October 2016 requesting under the Official Information Act 1982, the following information:

*In 2015, the Privacy Commissioner referred a case to the Director of Human Rights Proceedings ([2015] NZ PrivCmr 8) relating to Immigration New Zealand refusing to correct personal information under Principle 7(2) Privacy Act 1993.*

*On 1 July 2016, the Human Rights Commission issued a press release advising the case had settled and Immigration New Zealand was working on a policy for dealing with requests to amend personal information.*

*a) Has that new policy been finalised yet?*

*b) Please supply the current policy applied by Immigration New Zealand staff in assessing applications to correct information held by INZ.*

Your request is being processed in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982. If you have any enquiries regarding your request, you may contact us via email at [oiia@mbie.govt.nz](mailto:oiia@mbie.govt.nz) or

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Your request was received on 6 October 2016 and a response will be sent to you as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

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