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Geoff Merryweather

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Dear Geoff

Thank you for your email of 17 December 2016, requesting, under the Official Information Act (the Act) 1982, with regard to Determinations 2015/010 and 2015/022, the following information:

...the supporting documentation, calculations, reports or correspondence between the parties regarding the acceptance of wall linings with a higher group number than the Building Code allows (e.g. timber linings as group 3 instead of the required group 2s).

Please find attached material that is in scope of your request. Some information has been withheld, to protect the privacy of individuals, pursuant to section (9)(2)(a) of the Act.

You have the right under section 28(3) to the Act to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision to decline and withhold parts of your request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or on Freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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