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Dear AJ

Thank you for your request of 28 January 2017, which was part transferred to the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment by the New Zealand Fire Service on 13 March 2017. You requested, under the Official Information Act 1982, the following information:

I would expect to see the section of the original contract (or the contract in its entirety) that states that the IP and software still belongs to the supplier and not the NZ Fire Service Commission.

I am writing to advise you that the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (the Ministry) will provide a response but needs to extend the time available to answer your request. The Ministry's response will be sent to you no later than 27 March 2017.

The reason for the extension is that consultations necessary to make a decision on the request are such that a proper response to the request cannot be made within the original time limit.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of the decision to extend the time available to respond to your request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

We will respond to you sooner if we are able to.

Yours sincerely

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