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Dear Cody

## Request made under the Official Information Act 1982

Thank you for your email of 7 April 2017 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

'A time period is mentioned for the grant of access to Wilson ("[..] to 30 April 2016"). Has this timeframe been exceeded or a new authorisation given? Please provide the newest Gazette where this is mentioned if a new authorisation has been given.'

Wilson Parking New Zealand Limited applied to renew their authorised access to the Motor Vehicle Register prior to 30 April 2016. There have been delays with considering this and other such applications. All authorisations, including Wilson Parking New Zealand Limited, have been granted an extension that allows them to continue interim access under the conditions of the authorisation that expired on 30 April 2016. The current applications are in the final stages and should be decided shortly, at which point it will be gazetted.

You requested the most recent Gazette where new authorisation has been given. As interim authorisation has been given to Wilson Parking New Zealand Limited, and the final application process is yet to be completed, this part of your request has been refused under section 18(e) of the Act, as this information does not exist.

Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to apply to an Ombudsman for an investigation and review of the decision to refuse part of your request. For more information, the Ombudsman website is www.ombudsman.parliament.nz/.

If you would like to discuss this reply with the NZ Transport Agency, please contact Nicole Rule, Senior Customer Access Representative, by email to <a href="mailto:nicole.rule@nzta.govt.nz">nicole.rule@nzta.govt.nz</a> or by phone on 0800 108 809.

Yours sincerely

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