



15 MAY 2017

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Dear Ms Gibbs


Thank you for your email of 17 April 2017, to the Ministry of Education requesting information about the appointment of the Chief Education Health and Nutrition Advisor.

The Ministry needs to extend the timeframe of our response to your request by 19 working days, pursuant to section 15A(1)(b) of the Act, as consultations necessary to make a decision on the request are such that a proper response to the request cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. For this reason, you can expect to receive a response to your request by 14 June 2017. We will try to respond sooner than this date if possible.

If you no longer require this information please let us know as soon as possible.

Please be advised that should you have any concerns regarding this extension you have the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate our decision to extend the timeframe. You can do this by writing to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely



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