

20 July 2017

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Dear K.I. Davis

I refer to your email of 22 June 2017 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

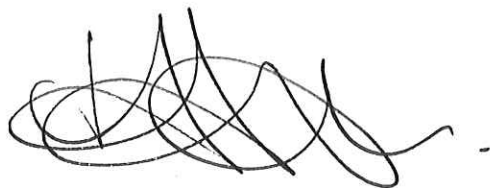
- 1. The following KPI Quarterly reports that are received by the Ministry from Nga Taonga Sound and Vision: Qtr 1 (Jul/Aug/Sep 2016), Qtr 2 (Oct/Nov/Dec 2016), Qtr 3 (Jan/Feb/Mar 2017). Please supply the full reports.*
- 2. Any documentation relating to the "working lunch" that Ministry staff undertook with Nga Taonga's board on 10 February 2017. Documentation could include agendas, correspondence, minutes, outcomes etc.*

Please refer to the attached documents. We consider the attachments to one of the released memos to be out of scope. These attachments included two previous briefings from 2016 that were unrelated to the 10 February 2017 meeting and were provided solely for contextual information on recent Ministerial briefings.

Some information has been withheld under s9(2)(j) of the OIA to enable the carrying out of negotiations without prejudice or disadvantage. These negotiations are currently underway, and we consider the release of certain information would prejudice these negotiations. We have also withheld information under s9(2)(f)(iv) to protect the confidentiality of advice tendered by officials, and s9(2)(g)(i) to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through free and frank expression. Contact information has been withheld under s9(2)(a) to protect the privacy of natural persons. I do not believe that public interest considerations outweigh the need to protect this information.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the OIA, to ask an Ombudsman to review my response to your requests.

Yours sincerely



Kim Rex
Manager, Ministerial Services