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Dear Francis

I refer to your request of 11 July 2017, made under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), for:

1. *the organisational structure of No. 40 Squadron RNZAF. and staff complements i.e pilots, flight stewards etc.*

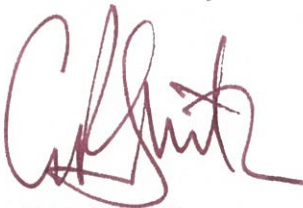
Please find enclosed a chart depicting the organisational structure of No 40 Squadron, RNZAF. The chart provides staff disciplines and the number of personnel within each of the three Flights.

2. *since March 2016 the list of flights on the RNZAF boeing 757 taken by the Prime minister and his predecessor and the list of passengers on each flight.*

I have also enclosed a table which identifies all RNZAF Boeing 757 flights utilised by the Prime Minister since March 2016. The Prime Minister's delegation may include other Ministers, office staff, family members and other dignitaries. The names of passengers have been withheld for the protection of privacy, in accordance with section 9(2)(a) of the OIA. Where information was available, passenger roles or organisational affiliations have been provided.

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

Yours sincerely

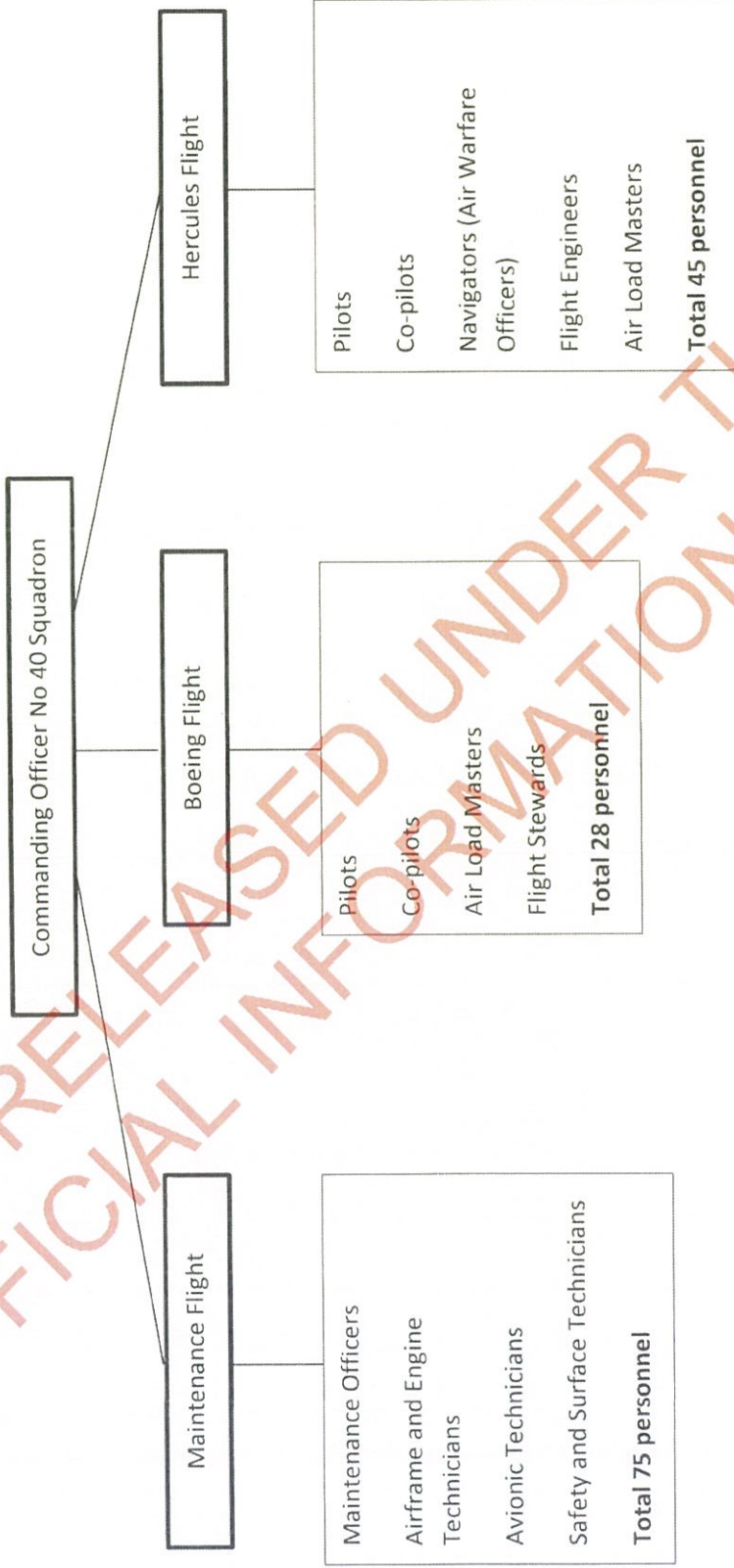


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Enclosures:

- A. No 40 Squadron, RNZAF Organisational Structure
- B. Prime Minister RNZAF Boeing 757 Flights

Organisational Structure of No 40 Squadron



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Prime Minister RNZAF Boeing 757 flights

Flight #	Task	Date	Leg 1	Leg 2	Leg 3	Leg 4
NHB821	PM to China	17-23 Apr 16	Whenuapai - Beijing	Beijing - Xi'an	Xi'an - Shanghai	Shanghai - Whenuapai
			10 x PM Delegation	15 x PM Delegation	15 x PM Delegation	11 x PM Delegation
			35 x Business Delegation	38 x Business Delegation	37 x Business Delegation	28 x Business Delegation
			1 x NZTE	4 x NZTE	1 x NZTE	6 x MFAT
			7 x MFAT	18 x MFAT	19 x MFAT	8 x Media
			8 x Media	8 x Media	3 x Media	
				1 x MBIE	1 x MBIE	
	7 x Chinese Delegation					
NSB717	PM to Indonesia	17-20 Jul 16	Whenuapai - Jakarta	Jakarta - Surabaya	Surabaya - Whenuapai	
			19 x Business Delegation	7 x PM Delegation	8 x PM Delegation	
			8 x Officials	20 x Business Delegation	15 x Business Delegation	
			2 x Minister of Trade Delegation	20 x Indonesian based individuals	2 x Minister of Trade Delegation	
			9 x Media	2 x Minister of Trade Delegation	9 x Officials	
				10 x Officials	9 x Media	
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NSB706	PM to East Asia Conference and Pacific Island	6-11 Sep 16	Whenuapai - Laos	Laos - Pohnpei	Pohnpei - Whenuapai	
			5 x PM Delegation	6 x PM Delegation	7 x PM delegation	
			2 x Officials	2 x Officials	16 x Officials	
			11 x Media	11 x Media	11 x Media	
				1 x UN Assistant Secretary General	2 x Minister of Foreign Affairs Delegation	
					10 x Pacific Island Leaders	
		10 x Pacific Island Officials				
		11 x Partners/Others				
NIB435	PM to India	24-28 Oct 16	Whenuapai - Mumbai	Cochin - Brisbane	Brisbane - Whenuapai	
			80	88	84	
NLB345	PM to APEC	18-22 Nov 16	Whenuapai - Lima	Lima - Whenuapai		
			6 x PM Delegation	11 x PM Delegation		
			2 x Officials	6 x Officials		
			9 x Media	9 x Media		
NPB430	PM to Pacific	13-17 Jun 17	Wellington - Rarotonga	Rarotonga - Nuie - Tonga	Tonga - Wellington	
			7 x PM Delegation	7 x PM Delegation	7 x PM Delegation	
			13 x Officials	13 x Officials	13 x Officials	
			4 x Ministers/Advisors	4 x Ministers/Advisors	4 x Ministers/Advisors	
			10 x Members of Parliament (MPs)/Private Secretaries (CoS)	10 x MPs/CoS	10 x MPs/CoS	
			24 x Community Groups/Business/NGO	24 x Community Groups/Business/NGO	24 x Community Groups/Business/NGO	
7 x Media	7 x Media	7 x Media				