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Dear Tim

Thank you for your email of 21 July 2017 to the Ministry of Education requesting the following information:

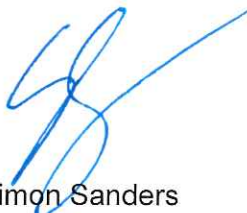
1. *All relevant letters, emails and documents relating to the appointment of statutory manager Madeline Hawkesby at St Josephs Primary School in Invercargill*
2. *All relevant letters, emails and documents relating to a head teacher at the school being put on extended leave during the past four months*
3. *All relevant letters, emails and documents from the statutory manager to the St Joseph's school board since her appointment.*

Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act (the Act).

As parts 2 and 3 of your request are more closely connected with the functions of the Combined Board of Trustees for St Joseph's School, Invercargill, St Patrick's School, Nightcaps, and St Teresa's School, Bluff, your request has been transferred under section 14(b)(ii) of the Act.

Under sections 19 and 28(3) of the Act you have the right to ask an Ombudsman to review this decision.

Yours sincerely



Simon Sanders
Manager
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