



Information Request: 16/7758/11

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Mark Hanna

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Dear Mr Hanna,

Official Information Act 1982 request

I refer to your email to Police dated 16 September 2017 where you made a request under the Official Information Act 1982 for the following:

1a. Copies of any current drafts of TOR report(s).

The information requested was withheld under section 9(2)(g)(i) of the Official Information Act 1982. This section of the Act applies in order to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through the free and frank expression of opinions by or between members of an organisation of officers and employees of any department or organisation in the course of their duty.

You further emailed Police on 31 October 2017 requesting that we reconsider the release of the draft reports.

The draft TOR reports have now gone through an internal review and consultation process and will be publicly released on the New Zealand Police website on 30th November 2017. Therefore, your request for copies of the draft TOR reports is refused under section 18(d) of the Official Information Act 1982 in that the information requested is, or will soon be, publicly available.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act 1982, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision if you are not satisfied with the way I have responded to your request.

Yours sincerely,

Superintendent Chris Scahill
National Manager: Response and Operations