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Dear Mr Davis

Official Information Act request for Briefing to the incoming Minister of Civil Defence

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request, initially made to the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet. The request, so far as it relates to my portfolio as Minister of Civil Defence, was transferred to my office on 13 November 2017. You requested:

"...all the Briefings to Incoming Ministers and the Briefing to the Incoming Government, for the ministry sworn in this October."

The requested document is due to be published on the Civil Defence website (www.civildefence.govt.nz) in December. Accordingly, I have refused your request for the briefing under section 18(d) of the Act — the information requested is or will soon be publicly available.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

Yours sincerely

Hon Kris Faafoi

Minister of Civil Defence