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Dear Ohinerau Research Alliance

Official Information Act request: List of all papers submitted to the CMR Committee through to the end of 2017

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 13 March 2018. Your request was for "a list of all papers submitted to the CMR Committee through to the end of 2017".

The Crown/Māori Relations Committee met for the first time on 27 February 2018. There is therefore no information that is relevant to your request.

I also note that the Cabinet Office holds all Cabinet material on behalf of the relevant Ministers. We transfer requests for Cabinet material to the portfolio Minister for a decision. In order to process requests for lists of items considered by Cabinet or Cabinet committees, we would need to transfer each of the individual items from each report, including the relevant Minutes, to the Minister responsible.

If you are particularly interested in the work of the Crown/Māori Relations Committee, Hon Kelvin Davis is the chair of that committee.

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

Yours sincerely

Michael Webster

Secretary of the Cabinet