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Dear Mr Collins

**Official Information Act 1982 request**

I refer to your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request dated 15 March 2018 regarding non-violence programmes.

You have asked for:

- "The total number of respondents in the Family Court proceedings enforced to attend Non-Violence programmes per year from 2005 to 2018- grouped by gender
- The total cost per person and per total to attend Non-Violence programmes
- How many breaches were reported every year- non-compliance with the court order to attend a non-violence programme".

The OIA requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days from the date we received your request. A response is currently being prepared. However, as your request requires a search through a large quantity of information, a response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. Accordingly, under section 15A of the OIA, I am extending the time limit for response to your request by 10 working days from 16 April 2018 to 30 April 2018. A response will be sent to you on or before this date.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the OIA, to complain to the Ombudsman about my decision to extend the timeframe for response to your request. You can contact the Office of the Ombudsman by writing to PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143; calling 0800 802 602; or emailing [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Yours sincerely



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