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Extension of time for responding to your request for official information

Dear Mr Hanna

Thank you for your request for official information, received on 17 April 2018 requesting the following information:

Please release the following information, from 1 July 2017 to 30 December 2017, broken down by request:

- 1. The date on which the request was received.
- 2. The date on which the request was answered.
- 2a. If the request was answered on the last allowable day, the time at which the request was answered
- 3. Whether or not the request was extended under section 15A of the OIA.
- 3a. If the request was extended, the date on which notice of the extension was sent to the requester.
- 3b. If the notice of extension was sent to the requester on the last allowable day, the time at which the notice of extension was sent to the requester.
- 3c. If the request was extended, the duration of the extension.
- 4. The outcome of the request (e.g. all information released, transferred to another agency).

Please provide all information in an accessible, searchable format. A spreadsheet format, such as CSV or XLSX, is preferable for tabular data.

Please also explain any relevant caveats that should be kept in mind when analysing this information, including the licence under which it is released.

I have decided to extend the period of time available to respond to your request under section 15A(1)(a) of the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) as the request necessitates a search through a large quantity of information.

You can now expect a response to your request on, or before, 15 June 2018.

You have the right, under section 28 of the Act, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to extend the time available to respond to your request.

Yours sincerely

Nick Allan

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