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Dear David

Ref: 0052019

Official Information Act 1982 – Notification of Time Extension

On 23 May 2018 you asked for the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

“... all documents and information regarding the partnership with the New Zealand Union of Students’ Associations (NZUSA) to prevent sexual violence in tertiary education settings.

This includes (but is not limited to) any contracts, correspondence, e-mails, reports, evaluations and updates. I would also like details of how much of the \$1.4 million announced has been paid out, and what the deliverables to date have been.”

On 4 June 2018 you clarified your request as follows:

“My request is limited to the recent contract with NZUSA, not all other dealings between ACC and NZUSA in relation to sexual violence prevention?”

In terms of specific documents and correspondence, I am particularly interested in the contract for services, any evaluation of what gains ACC hoped to make from the contract, any evaluations of how NZUSA has performed, and why the contract was suspended or terminated. Also any concerns over behaviour of employees at NZUSA which relate to this contract.”

ACC needs an extra 40 working days until 27 August 2018 to make a decision on your request. The request necessitates a significant amount of research and collation of information to determine what may fall within scope, and furthermore consultation will be necessary before a decision is made on your request.

This extension is made under Section 15A of the Act.

ACC will do all it can to respond to your request before the new due date, if that is at all possible.

Please contact ACC on GES@acc.co.nz if you have concerns about this letter. ACC will be happy to answer any questions or, if you have any concerns, work with you to resolve these.

If you are still not happy, you may make a complaint to the Office of the Ombudsman. You can call them on 0800 802 602, 9am to 5pm weekdays, or write to: The Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10 152, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely

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