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Mick Hall

Via email: fyi-request-8942-c8b27df8@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Mr Hall

Re: Official information request for Information relating to whether Scion has carried out any research into possible effects of 1080 on soil microbial activity and impact on Kauri Dieback disease

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your official information request dated 26 October 2018 for information on whether Scion has carried out research to determine whether possible effects of Sodium Fluoroacetate (1080) on soil microbial activity around Kauri trees could be an aggravating factor in Kauri Dieback disease.

We received your request on 26 October 2018. We will endeavour to respond to your request as soon as possible and in any event no later than 23 November 2018, being 20 working days after the day your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

Your request is being handled by our legal team. If you have any queries, please feel free to contact our legal team on 07 343 5537 or 07 343 5482. If any additional factors come to light which are relevant to your request, please do not hesitate to contact us so that these can be taken into account.

Yours sincerely

Rob Trass
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Company Secretary