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Dear Mr Grainger

## Official Information Act request: student loans and passport renewals

Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act 1982, which was transferred from the Department of Internal Affairs to Inland Revenue on 20 June 2013. You requested the following:

... all advice on whether people who default on their student loans shouldn't have their passports renewed

Under section 15A of the Official Information Act, I am extending the time limit for deciding on your request by an additional 15 working days. This means that you will receive a response by 8 August 2013.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review this decision to extend the time limit for deciding on your request. The Office of the Ombudsman can be contacted at PO Box 10152, The Terrace, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely

Maurice Lawlor **Business Owner**