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Hannah Enderby via fyi.org.nz

Dear Ms Enderby

We refer to your Official Information Act requests to the Department of Conservation dated 5 and 7 June 2019, relating to the kea that died from ingesting 1080 bait pellets that were applied during the 2011 Okarito pest control operation.

In our letters to you dated 3 and 31 July, we informed you that we were taking steps to publish photos and information relating to those kea on the Department's website. On that basis, we declined your request under section 18(d) of the Official Information Act 1982.

This letter is to advise you that this information is now available on the Department's website and can be accessed via the following link:

 $\underline{https://www.doc.govt.nz/globalassets/documents/about-doc/oia/2019/oia-kearesponse.pdf}$

Yours sincerely

Amber Bill Director Threats

For Director-General