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Dear John Luke

Thank you for your further email of 21 August 2020 asking for the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the 'Act'):

"I noticed on the letter received from TPK, <https://fyi.org.nz/request/13443-nomination-service-oia-act-request#incoming-50818> You have set up a ministerial ethnic communities advisory group, may I asked who is the current member of this group, their bio if you have and what is their term of appointment, the term of reference of this group and it's pay rate, any minutes of this group so far and how you call for nomination when this group been set up."

The Ministerial Ethnic Communities Advisory Group is yet to be formally established, therefore this request is declined under section 18(e) of the Act, that the information does not exist.

Please note that as parts of your request has been declined under section 18(e) you have the right, under section 28(1)(a) of the Act, to seek an investigation and review of our decision by the office of the Ombudsman. You can do so by contacting the Office of the Ombudsman at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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