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Tēnā koe Jamie

Thank you for your email of 13 April 2021 to the Ministry of Education requesting the following information:

- 1. I am requesting copys of ANY and ALL correspondence between the Ministry of Education & Primary, Intermediate and Secondary Schools regarding the Euthanasia Bill & Cannabis Bill referendums in the 2020 election*

Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

The Ministry needs to extend the timeframe of our response to your request, pursuant to section 15A(1)(b) of the Act, as consultations necessary to make a decision on the request are such that a proper response to the request cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. For this reason, you can expect to receive a response to your request by 19 May 2021.

The response is currently going through the final stages of sign out which requires a little more time than the original 20 working days allowed for. We hope to have it with you soon, but no later than the date above.

Please be advised that should you have any concerns regarding this extension you have the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate our decision to extend the timeframe. You can do this by writing to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Nāku noa, nā



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