

11 November 2021

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Ref: OIA-2021/22-0432

Dear Beinn Chapple-Law

## Official Information Act request relating to Influences promoting the vaccine

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 14 October 2021. You requested:

"I would like to request a list of all "influencers", any persons, companies or organisations that were either paid to promote the vaccine, offered other rewards, or even did it for free.

I would like to know how much was paid out to each persons or company, and what the brief was for each post."

I have decided under section 15A of the Act to extend the time limits for deciding on your request by an additional 20 working days. Consequently, the extended due date for your response will be 10 December 2021.

The extension is required because of the consultations needed to make a decision on your request. Despite the extension, a response will be sent to you as soon as possible.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Corbett

Manager, Ministerial and Business Services