

MINISTRY OF BUSINESS, INNOVATION & EMPLOYMENT HĪKINA WHAKATUTUKI

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Dear Ed

Thank you for your email of 3 November 2021 to the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (the Ministry), requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

I am wanting to locate a copy of the report "A review of weathertight science in 2007", author, Bassett M.R, that was commissioned by the Department of Building and Housing from Branz and published to the Department in or about 2007. I have been unable to locate a public copy of the report anywhere.

The Ministry wrote to you on 1 December 2021 to advise that the timeframe for responding to your request had been extended under section 15A(1)(b) of the Act, to 19 January 2022, to allow for further consultation.

The Ministry has decided to grant your request. Please find attached the report entitled *A review of weathertight science in 2007*, which has been released to you in full.

Yours sincerely

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