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Tēnā koe Mr Massey

### **Response to your request for official information**

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) to the Ministry of Health (the Ministry) received on 11 February 2022. You specifically requested:

*“- The advice that the Ministry of Health and the CVTAG has provided as to the use of Novavax  
- Information as to the supposed delivery of Nuvaxoid on Monday, 7th of February.”*

The Ministry has identified one key document, including the relevant appendices, within scope of your request. This document is a 10 February 2022 memorandum titled “*Decision to use a primary course of the Novavax COVID-19 vaccine: COVID-19 Vaccine Technical Advisory Group (CV TAG) recommendations*” and has been released to you in full.

I trust this fulfils your request. Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz) or by calling 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Ministry website at: [www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/information-releases](http://www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/information-releases).

Nāku noa, nā



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