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**Dear Polly Adams** 

Official Information Act request relating to Health Transition Unit key documents on implementation plan and work programme

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 26 May 2022. You requested:

"(...) I request copies of key documents showing the implementation plan and work programme for the transition. I don't want all emails, just useful documents relating to the implementation plan and work programme, including drafts if the documents are not yet finalised."

The plan for reform of New Zealand's health system as agreed by Cabinet is set out in proactively released Cabinet papers. These are publicly available and can be accessed here: <a href="https://www.futureofhealth.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/Publications/cabinet-minute-cab-21-sub-0092-health-and-disability-system-review.pdf">https://www.futureofhealth.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/Publications/cabinet-minute-cab-21-sub-0092-health-and-disability-system-review.pdf</a>

Accordingly, I am refusing your request under section 18(d) of the Act – the information requested is or will soon be publicly available.

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

We do not intend to publish this response on the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet's website.

Yours sincerely

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