



OIA22-0661  
OIA22-0707

2 September 2022

John Luke  
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Dear John Luke

Thank you for your email of 5 August 2022 and 1 September 2022 requesting information relating to board appointments.

As you have requested similar information, we are combining your requests of 5 August 2022 (OIA22-0661) and 1 September 2022 (OIA22-0707) into one response.

The Ministry for Primary Industries (MPI) will not be able to respond within the timeframe set out in the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), pursuant to section 15A(1)(b), as consultations necessary to make a decision on your requests are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the normal 20 working day time limit.

MPI will reply to your requests by no later than 30 September 2022, earlier if possible.

Should you have any concerns with this extension, I would encourage you to raise these with the Ministry for Primary Industries at [Official.InformationAct@mpi.govt.nz](mailto:Official.InformationAct@mpi.govt.nz). Alternatively, you are advised of your right to also raise any concerns with the Office of the Ombudsman. Contact details are: Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143 or at [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Michelle Morehu'.

Michelle Morehu  
**Director Government Services**