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Below is a data summary with headline signals for the daily reports – which will come to you over the next days. Please reach out if there is a specific daily report you'd like access to more quickly, based on the attached summary and/or the below headlines.

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• The BFD's disinformation and digital image manipulation

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From: s 9(2)(g)(ii) @health.govt.nz>
Sent: Wednesday, 20 April 2022 1:56 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii) [DPMC]
Cc: s 9(2)(g)(ii) [DPMC]; Disinformation Assessment and Response Team
Subject: FW: COVID-19 disinformation

Hi s 9(2)(g)(ii)

As discussed now updated in green.

From: s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Sent: Tuesday, 12 April 2022 12:47 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii) @dpmc.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: COVID-19 disinformation

Hi s 9(2)(g)(ii)

Probably the things to note around disinformation in NZ that are concerning (and we will be providing this in our ongoing reporting to DPMC as well) is as follows:

- Disinformation has begun to pivot away from the anti-vaccine and anti-mandate themes.* This has happened in part because of the recent govt changes to the mandates and also the way the occupation at parliament ended (which while not quantifiable, left the previously glossy images and sunny portrayals of the occupation as nothing more than a peaceful gathering in tatters as many of the more moderate at the occupation pulled out over time and ceded much of the space to those with more extreme views and stances). Many of those in these space have talked of “resets” and begun to canvass supporters for the next area to focus on with a noted level of discussion around attempting to use the energy generated to make a run at politics or tackle similar issues such as “government overreach” and “police brutality”, While sites like NZDSOS remain exclusively focused on COVID-19 (<https://nzdsos.com/posts/>) and support covid disinformation content from individuals such as Guy Hatchard (<https://nzdsos.com/2022/04/20/research-snake-venom-and-covid-19/>) other sites such as Voices for Freedom (VFF) now mix their anti-covid and anti-mandate content with anti-government messages and articles about wellness, alternate health, the coming food crisis and personal finances (<https://www.voicesforfreedom.co.nz/finances-farzin>). They also link articles from the BFD (<https://thebfd.co.nz/about/>) (a blog site which notes it is centre-right in orientation but is associated with Cameron Slater s 9(2)(g)(i) VFFs telegram channel is a good indicator of the content changes. Sue Grey (<https://suegrey.co.nz/>) remains also active in the Covid space but like others has diversified her content. Sites like CounterSpin Media are a good example of where the covid content is mixed and just part of the overall narrative which contains the noted themes of conspiracy, global elites etc (<https://counterspinmedia.com/resources-videos/>) and where CSM is just part of a larger network of sites (in this case InfoWars in the US which is now filing for Bankruptcy after defamation lawsuits - [Conspiracy theorist Alex Jones' Infowars website files for bankruptcy after defamation lawsuits | Newshub](https://www.newshub.co.nz/news/conspiracy-theorist-alex-jones-infowars-website-files-for-bankruptcy-after-defamation-lawsuits)). However, there are many small sites and channels and FB pages (such as this one <https://www.facebook.com/True-Stories-from-The-Health-Forum-NZ-102087642445347/>) Which regularly recirculate and repost material.
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If you need any further info or clarification please let us know.

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Senior Advisor

Disinformation Assessment and Response Team (DART) | CVIP

To contact us email: DART@health.govt.nz

From: s 9(2)(g)(ii) @dpmc.govt.nz>

Sent: Tuesday, 12 April 2022 12:01 pm

To: s 9(2)(g)(ii) @health.govt.nz>

Subject: COVID-19 disinformation

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Kia ora s 9(2)(g)(ii)

Just following on from yesterdays email, I had forgotten to ask for information on what you're seeing as the most common or concerning bits of disinformation in the space around COVID and sort of an overview of what that has looked like through the first part of April.

I'm hoping to make a start on the COVID-19 Disinformation landscape for April report soon and would really appreciate any information you have.

Happy to discuss if you have any questions, my number is below.

Thanks

Kind regards

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Advisor, Readiness | COVID-19 Group

Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet - Te Tari o Te Pirimia Me Te Komaiti Matua

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From: s 9(2)(g)(ii) [redacted]@dpmc.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 26 April 2022 2:17 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii) [redacted]
Subject: RE: Daily Telegraph

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Thanks s 9(2) [redacted]. I've passed this on to relevant individuals for their awareness.

From: s [redacted]@health.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, 26 April 2022 1:27 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii) [redacted]@dpmc.govt.nz>
Subject: FW: Daily Telegraph

Also, check out these numbers for DT compared to the BFD.

That is some significant traffic.

NOTE: I am using Similar Web as its free but we are seeking some better metrics but at the mo this works.

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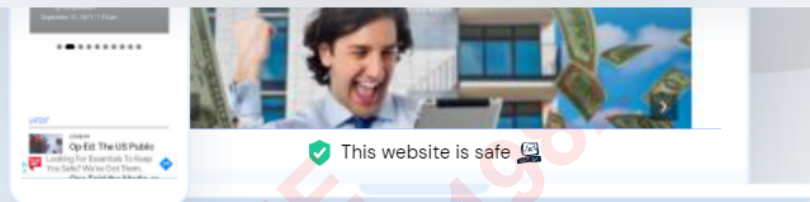
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Company	The BFD
Year Founded	--
Employees	--
HQ	New Zealand
Annual Revenue	--
Industry	News and Media

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Global Rank
 #164,602
 ▼ 12115

Country Rank
 #631
 ▼ 70
 New Zealand

Category Rank
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 News and Media
 (In New Zealand)

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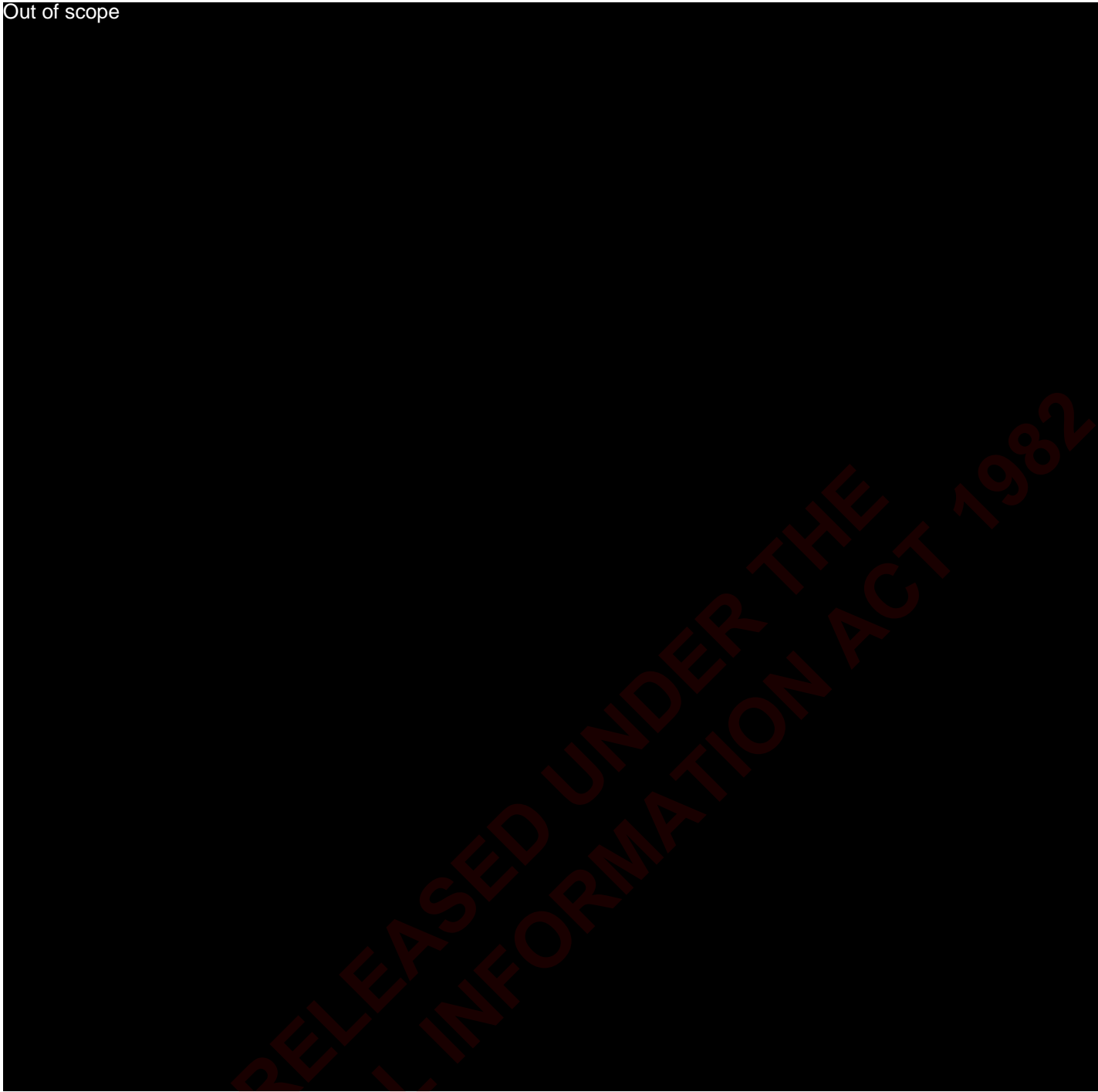
From: s 9(2)(g)(ii) [redacted]@health.govt.nz>
Sent: Thursday, 7 July 2022 4:27 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii) [redacted]
Cc: Disinformation Assessment and Response Team
Subject: Recent Media relating to MOH and Health

Good Afternoon s 9(2)(g)(ii) [redacted]

Just two things to bring to your attention.

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NZDSOS post on the BFD titled “Do you trust your Doctor”

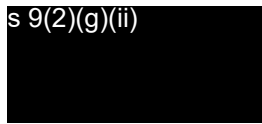
The Second is a post on the BFD Blog (associated with Cameron Slater) that is written by NZDOS (the organisations of doctors who do not agree with vaccination) titled “Do you trust your Doctor?”. The author of the piece appears to be a registered doctor in NZ.

<https://thebfd.co.nz/2022/07/07/do-you-trust-your-doctor/>

If you need any further information please don't hesitate to contact me.

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Senior Advisor

Disinformation Assessment and Response Team (**DART**)

From: s 9(2)(g)(ii) @health.govt.nz>
Sent: Friday, 8 July 2022 1:28 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Cc: s 9(2)(g)(ii) Disinformation Assessment and Response Team
Subject: Letter to Medsafe/ s 9(2)(g)(ii)

Good afternoon s 9(2)(g)(ii)

<https://dailytelegraph.co.nz/news/nzdsos-open-letter-to-chris-james-medsafe-regulator/>

s 9(2)(g)(ii) you may already be aware of this but if not then this is to make you aware of the link above.

This article is written by **NZDSOS** who are a small group of NZ doctors who have opposed vaccinations in NZ (of which you may be aware) but they have become more active of late with their material appearing on other sites in the disinformation space (they have posted on this site and also on right-wing blog the BFD (<https://thebfd.co.nz/2022/07/07/do-you-trust-your-doctor/>) which is run/associated with Cameron Slater.

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Apologies if this email is upsetting or unpleasant as getting such a mention is not a nice thing but I felt its worth bringing to your attention.

If you need any further information please let us know.

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From: s 9(2)(g)(ii) @health.govt.nz>
Sent: Monday, 29 August 2022 10:36 am
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Cc: Disinformation Assessment and Response Team; s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Subject: Article online: Leaked: Police Begging Interpol for Intel on Avi Yemini

Good morning everyone.

Your are probably already aware of this but just in case, this was posted today:

[Leaked: Police Begging Interpol for Intel on Avi Yemini | The BFD](#)

[High-level conspiracy to block journalist Avi Yemini from entering NZ exposed by The BFD - Daily Telegraph NZ](#)

For note, the BFD is Cam Slaters new website/media channel **Out of scope**

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From: s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Sent: Tuesday, 13 September 2022 2:41 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Subject: Updated report
Attachments: Voices For Freedom Monthly Report Updated.docx

Here's the report with the updated bulletpoints.

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(which is run by Cameron Slater) VFF also linked to NZ opinion websites the BFD
publish or amplify disinformation content; that are known to

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From: Disinformation Assessment and Response Team <dart@health.govt.nz>
Sent: Monday, 19 September 2022 1:45 pm
To: s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Cc: Disinformation Assessment and Response Team; s 9(2)(g)(ii)
Subject: RE: Patient Safety Day post feedback

Hi s 9(2)(g)(ii)

Thanks for this.

I have had a look through both the FB and Twitter comments and my analysis would be as follows:

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- Two notable posters Out of scope [Redacted] Cam Slater of the **BFD** – which are both sources of health/COVID related disinformation) made comments so possible **breakout** potential here if picked up and amplified (and noting that they may have already done that by just commenting),
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