



31 March 2023

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Ref: OIA-2022/23-0648

Dear R Coates

**Official Information Act request for correspondence with TikTok and ByteDance regarding the Christchurch Call**

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request of 8 March 2023.

You have requested:

*“Please release to me all correspondence with TikTok or parent company ByteDance regarding the Christchurch Call, specifically any communications to and from the companies relating to involvement in or the activities of the Christchurch Call, and any internal communications on considerations regarding their involvement.”*

I have decided under section 15A of the Act to extend the time limits for deciding on your request by an additional 25 working days. Consequently, the extended due date for your response will be 15 May 2023.

The extension is required because of the consultations needed to make a decision on your request. Despite the extension, a response will be sent to you as soon as possible.

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

Yours sincerely

Amy Teague  
**Manager, Ministerial Services**