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Ref: OIA 23-108

Samuel Brown

FYI.org

By email: fyi-request-22298-e40aef19@requests.fyi.org.nz

Tēnā koe Samuel,

Request for information under the Official Information Act 1982

Thank you for your email dated 28 March 2023 to the New Zealand Customs Service (Customs), requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

“Any document you may have on Kellie-Jay Keen aka Posie Parker.”

In response, please note that your request for any documents Customs hold on Kellie-Jay Keen, as known as Posie Parker, is refused under section 9(2)(a) of the Act, where withholding information is necessary to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons.

Customs has considered the public interest arguments in favour of making this information available, however, it is considered that these interests do not outweigh the necessity to withhold Ms Keen's personal information.

You have the right, by way of complaint to contact the Office of the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Act, to seek an investigation and review of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available online at: www.ombudsman.parliament.nz, or you can phone 0800 802 602.

If you have any queries about this response, please contact the Correspondence, Reviews and Ministerial Servicing team at: OIA@customs.govt.nz.

Please note that Customs proactively releases responses to Official Information Act requests on our website. As such, we may publish this response on our website after we have sent it to you. Your name and contact details will be removed.

Nāku noa, nā

Bruce Berry

Manager Intelligence

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