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Tēnā koe Stephen

Thank you for your Official Information Act (OIA) request to the Department of Conservation, received on 16 January 2024 in which you asked for *'all submitted Works Approval requests and surrounding correspondence for Turoa Ski field from 1 August 2023.'*

This letter is to advise you that we are extending the 20 working day period to respond to your request, as allowed under section 15A(1) of the OIA. We require an additional 15 days to respond to your request. We will send you a response no later than 6 March 2024, earlier if possible.

The extension of time is necessary as the consultations necessary to make a decision on the request mean that a proper response to the request cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the OIA to make a complaint to an Ombudsman about the extension. If you wish to discuss this response to your request, please contact governmentservices@doc.govt.nz.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'RAJ' followed by a flourish.

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Te Papa Atawhai