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Dear Alister

Thank you for your email received on 15 April 2015 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982, the following information:

- *"I would like to know the history of the distribution of work to panel members of the Java and Microsoft development panels. In which panel members were successful in getting project work and which projects were assigned to these panel members?"*

The distribution of Java projects to the successful panel member is as follows:

<b>Project</b>	<b>Successful Panel Member</b>
New Zealand Business Number (NZBN) issuer application	Argonaut
Employee Cost Calculator	Solnet
Compliance Matters	Fronde
Immigrant Health System	Argonaut
Occupation Outlook	Fronde
MSG managed resource web service development	ClearPoint
Immigrant Health System Phase 2	Argonaut
NZBN Work Package 4	Argonaut

The Ministry has not assigned a panel member to the following projects:

- Trading standards web application
- Immigration Data Access Layer (DAL)

Regarding Microsoft Development Panel agreements, Datacom is providing assistance on the eVisa project. The Ministry is currently in the market to assign a panel member to this project; however no agreement has been finalised at this point.

I trust you will find this information useful. You have the right to seek an investigation and review of my response by the Ombudsman, whose address for contact purposes is:

The Ombudsman  
Office of the Ombudsman  
PO Box 10-152  
WELLINGTON 6143

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'W. Shera'.

Warren Shera  
Chief Information Officer