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Dear Grant Cheesman

I refer to your email of 3 June 2015 in which you request the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

"...Was the New Zealand Government consulted by the Australian Government over the SUPERANNUATION GUARANTEE (ADMINISTRATION) AMENDMENT BILL (Cth- Australia)?

The Bill will remove the requirement for employers to offer a choice of superannuation fund to temporary residents of Australia. A 'temporary resident' under the Migration Act 1958 (Cth - Australia) will be extended to include New Zealand citizens,

If yes, please provide a copy of all correspondence between the New Zealand Government and the Australian Government as relates to SUPERANNUATION GUARANTEE (ADMINISTRATION) AMENDMENT BILL (Cth- Australia)"

This letter advises that due to the necessity for further consultation, we are extending the time limit for responding to you by 20 working days, to 14 August 2015. It is possible however, that even with this extension, we may not be able to release material relevant to your request.

Yours sincerely

Joana Johnston
for Secretary of Foreign Affairs and Trade