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Dear C Bennett

Thank you for your email of 8 October 2024 requesting information relating to the Sustainable Food and Fibre Futures project. Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA).

You requested the following:

Under the Official Information Act 1982, can I please request the Terms of Reference for the Sustainable Food and Fibre Futures Project "Parasitoids for sustainable pest management in eucalypt plantations".

The Ministry for Primary Industries (MPI) does not hold a terms of reference for this project. Therefore, this request is declined pursuant to Section 18(g) - *the information requested is not held*. We would advise contacting New Zealand Forest Research Institute Limited (Scion), the contracted party for delivery of this project.

Should you have any concerns with this response, I would encourage you to raise these with the Ministry for Primary Industries at [Official.InformationAct@mpi.govt.nz](mailto:Official.InformationAct@mpi.govt.nz). Alternatively, you are advised of your right to also raise any concerns with the Office of the Ombudsman. Contact details are: Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143 or at [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Yours sincerely

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Steve Penno  
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