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Ref: JCOIA-217

Dear Mr Wiggin

Official Information Act request: Use of personal email accounts

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request, received on 22 October 2024. You requested:

"Please provide a record of any/all emails forward between your official email account and any personal email accounts.

A list of subject lines is all I need.

I accept that some subject lines may be redacted.

Please note I will be making same request to one or two other ministers."

I am interpreting your request as a request for any emails forwarded between my official email accounts to personal email accounts that are of a substantive nature such as high-level briefings and Cabinet papers.

I do not send documents of such a nature to my personal emails and am therefore refusing your request under section 18(e). For your interest, I have on occasion sent matters from my official email to personal email accounts that are of an administrative nature, for example taxi bookings and flight details, which I do not consider in the public interest to release.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Judith Collins".

Hon Judith Collins KC