

# Office of Rt Hon Christopher Luxon

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John Luke  
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Ref: PMO OIA 274-2024-25

Dear John Luke

**Official Information Act request: [Luke] Documents received by Melissa Lee to formally notify her she is no longer a Minister**

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request, received on 5 February 2025. You requested:

*“What documents has Melissa Lee received to formally notify her she is not longer minister, would she get a formal letter to remove her from the office, if so, please provide copies of documents related to removing her from the office.”*

There were no documents received by Hon Melissa Lee in scope of your request. I am therefore declining your request under section 18(e) of the Act on the basis the information does not exist.

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 black ink, appearing to read 'CB', written over the typed name.

Cameron Burrows  
Chief of Staff