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Ref: DOIA-REQ-0034145

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Tēnā koe Winnie

Thank you for your request which was transferred to the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE) from the Ministry of Justice on 5 June 2026. Under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), you requested the following information:

Please deal with the following 2 parts separately.

*Part 1: Provisions in the 2009 Immigration Bill concerning acting otherwise than in good faith
The scope of this part is limited to the parts concerning acting otherwise than in good faith in the relevant provisions inserted into or amended in the Immigration Bill by Supplementary Order Paper No 32 on 15 September 2009.*

This request covers the relevant Immigration Bill provisions and their corresponding provisions in the Immigration Act 2009 after enactment, including clauses 125, 130, 176C and 178 of the Immigration Bill, and sections 134, 140, 197 and 200 of the Immigration Act 2009.

Please provide official information held by the Ministry of Justice showing whether the provisions within the above limited scope were subject to a New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 consistency review, analysis relating to section 7 of that Act, a Human Rights Act 1993 review, a human rights assessment, or a discrimination assessment.

Where such a review, analysis, or assessment took place, please provide the corresponding review, analysis, or assessment material.

Part 2: Provisions or proposals concerning bad faith or acting otherwise than in good faith in Parliamentary Paper J.24

The scope of this part is limited to the parts concerning bad faith or acting otherwise than in good faith in Parliamentary Paper J.24: Proposed policy additions to the Immigration (Enhanced Risk Management) Amendment Bill and in the policy proposals described in J.24.

Please provide official information held by the Ministry of Justice showing whether the provisions or proposals within the above limited scope were subject to a New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 consistency review, analysis relating to section 7 of that Act, a Human Rights Act 1993 review, a human rights assessment, or a discrimination assessment.

Where such a review, analysis, or assessment took place, please provide the corresponding review, analysis, or assessment material.

I am writing to advise you that MBIE will provide a response but needs to extend the time available to answer your request. MBIE's response will be sent to you no later than 29 July 2026.

The reason for the extension is that consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request or this response, or if you require any further assistance, please contact OIA@mbie.govt.nz.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of our decision to extend the time limit. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



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