

OIA-2017-004

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Suzanna Grey

by email: fyi-request-5491-04a34a88@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Suzanna,

EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER OFFICIAL INFORMATION REQUEST

I refer to your official information request of 5 March 2017.

I would like to understand the following: The number of articles, opinions and advertisements in the NBR that were made possible because of the financial support by Callaghan Innovation, for the last three calendar years (2014, 2015 and 2016).

Given the scope of this request, we will not be able to respond within the timeframe set out in the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA). Accordingly, Callaghan Innovation has decided to extend the time limit for responding to your request pursuant to section 15A of the OIA. We will reply to your request on or before the 7 April 2017.

The extension is necessary because;

Your request necessitates a search through a large quantity of information and meeting the normal 20 working day time limit would unreasonably interfere with the operations of Callaghan Innovation.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of our decision to extend the time limit for responding to your request. A request must be made in writing to:

The Ombudsman
Office of the Ombudsman
PO Box 10 152
WELLINGTON

Yours sincerely



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