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Jonathan Brewer
by email: fyi-request-590-5dc17c2c@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Jonathan

OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

I refer to your email of 1 October 2012 requesting membership and budget details of the Rural Broadband Initiative (RBI) National Advisory Committee and copies of their minutes and recommendations or reports it has made to the government on the RBI.

Pursuant to section 15A of the Official Information Act 1982 I am extending the time limit for my reply to your request by 20 working days. I will reply to your request by 27 November 2012.

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

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act 1982, to make a complaint to an Ombudsman about this extension.

Yours sincerely



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