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Dear Nicole

Thank you for your 17 April 2018 email to the Ministry of Education requesting the following information:

*Please provide all briefings, memos or advice you have supplied to the current Minister on the safety of students and teachers in NZ schools.*

On 26 April and 4 May 2018, we contacted you to seek refinement of your request as it was very broad in scope. Unfortunately we have not had a response from you.

As such, I am refusing your initial request under section 18(f) of the Official Information Act as the response to your request cannot be made available without substantial collation or research.

If you would like to resubmit a refined request, please do so via [enquiries.national@education.govt.nz](mailto:enquiries.national@education.govt.nz).

You have the right to ask an Ombudsman to review this decision. You can do this by writing to [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz) or Office of the Ombudsman, PO BOX 10152, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely



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