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Ross Francis

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Dear Mr Francis

Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) on 9 May 2019:

"Helen Cull QC chaired two ministerial inquiries – into the health system and the fire service - in 2000. When did each inquiry begin and end?"

On 9 May 2019 part of your request was transferred to the Ministry of Health (the Ministry) from the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.

Helen Cull QC conducted the commissioning of the *Review of Processes Concerning Adverse Medical Events* report. The report is publicly available to read on the Ministry Library website at: www.moh.govt.nz/notebook/nbbooks.nsf/0/773F196759B7CE0ECC256A220077235D
Your request is refused pursuant to section 18(d) of the Act, as the information you requested is publicly available in the report.

I trust that this information fulfils your request. Under section 28(3) of the Act you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request.

Please note that this letter, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Ministry website.

Yours sincerely

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