

4 April 2019

Brett Mills
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Dear Brett

I refer to your request received on 7 March 2019, which has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), for the following information:

the contents of the advice and all notes supplied to the Minister, Maggie Barry on or about 12 October 2015 as mentioned in an email from Kathrine Baxter to me dated 28/10 /2015 pertaining to the issues I had raised in a letter to her about the NZFC and in particular a short film titled "The Ballard of Maddog Quinn".

The information you have requested is enclosed. Please note some information has been withheld under section 9(2)(a) to protect the privacy of natural persons.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Peter Ramage at peter.ramage@mch.govt.nz.

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

Please note that we intend to publish this letter (with your personal details removed) and enclosed documents on the Ministry's website

Yours sincerely



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