

21 July 2023

Dear [REDACTED]

I refer to your request dated Friday 23 June 2023, pursuant to the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), seeking “a copy of any Briefings to the Incoming Minister of Transport prepared, or sent to the Minister, within the past 10 days”.

The following document falls within the scope of your request:

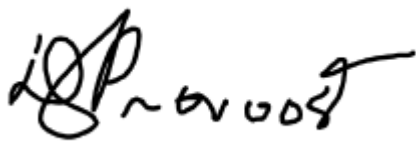
- Key Issues Briefing for the Acting Minister of Transport.

Your request has been refused under section 18(d) of the Act on the grounds that the information within the scope of your request will soon be publicly available. This document will be published on the Ministry website shortly.

It is likely that some information within the document will be withheld under section 9(2)(f)(iv) of the Act, as it relates to maintaining the constitutional conventions for the time being which protect the confidentiality of advice tendered by Ministers of the Crown and officials.

The Ministry publishes our Official Information Act responses and the information contained in our reply to you will be published on the Ministry website. Before publishing we will remove any personal or identifiable information.

Yours sincerely



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