## **Office of Rt Hon Winston Peters**

Deputy Prime Minister

Minister of Foreign Affairs Minister for Racing



5 March 2024

Regan Gibbons fyi-request-25563-a03bfe40@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Regan Gibbons,

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request, transferred to this office on 3 February 2024. The request was for:

All advice or communications received by your office regarding the Government's decision to suspend funding to the UN Relief and Works Agency

I understand that you have also made this request to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

Ordinarily, I would transfer your request to the Ministry, as the information you have requested is more closely connected with its functions (section 14(b)(i) of the OIA refers). However, as the Ministry already has your request, I refer you to the Ministry's response.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision by contacting <u>www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</u> or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely,

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Jamie Allen Private Secretary (Advisory/Media)