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PROTECTING NEW ZEALAND'S BORDER

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Ref: OIA 17- 281

Cody C

By email: fyi-request-6757-06e142cc@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Cody C

## Request for official information

Thank you for your query dated 26 October 2017 on the fyi.org.nz website, which was partially transferred to the New Zealand Customs Service (Customs) on 13 November 2017.

You have requested the following information under the Official Information Act 1982:

3. the total number of regular entry passengers that passed border security (i.e. any other passenger, such as visitor, citizen or crew)

Using the most recently available statistics covering the 12-month period between 1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017; a total of 6,541,761 regular entry passengers (excluding crew) have passed border security in New Zealand.

Please feel free to contact the Correspondence, Reviews and Ministerial Servicing team at OIA@customs.govt.nz if you have any questions in relation to this response.

Yours sincerely

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