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15 October 2019

Ms Wendy Pond

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Dear Ms Pond

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 17 September 2019 for the following information:

The DoC officers who signed the Moehau and Papakai application forms made a declaration that "All groups consulted with have been recorded in the consultation plan. Refer to the attached communication record."

- Q. Please provide the communication records for the Moehau and Papakai operations carried out in October 2017 on the Coromandel peninsula.
- Q. Please state whether the communication records were provided to the permitting authority, the Public Health Officer at Waikato District Health Board.

The OIA requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are therefore writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to Tuesday 26 November 2019.

This extension is necessary because consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

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 <a href="https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a> or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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