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Dear Tim

Thank you for your Official Information Act request of 21 June 2020 for information on possum monitoring at Oronui in the Raukumara Forest Park. On 28 June 2020 you clarified your request as seeking the following information:

*Who did it, when, gps data from assessor, number of traps used, spacings, was it pre-fed, all photos taken during assessment.*

This letter is to advise you that we are extending the 20 working day period to respond to your request, as allowed under section 15A(1) of the Official Information Act 1982. We require an additional 15 working days to respond to your request. We will send you a response no later than **14 August 2020**.

The extension of time is necessary as the consultations necessary to make a decision on the request mean that a proper response to the request cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act to make a complaint to an Ombudsman about the extension.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Hilary Aikman'.

Hilary Aikman  
Director Operations Issues and Programmes