

8 October 2021

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Ref: OIA-2021/22-0262

Dear Sebastian

## Official Information Act request relating for two National Security documents

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 10 September 2021. You requested:

- "1) Post Operation Deans National Security System Review
  - 2) National Security Group Business Plan".

I have decided under section 15A of the Act to extend the time limits for deciding on your request by an additional 20 working days. Consequently, the extended due date for your response will be 8 November 2021.

The extension is required because of the consultations needed to make a decision on your request. Despite the extension, a response will be sent to you as soon as possible.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Corbett

Manager, Ministerial and Business Services