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Tēnā koe Tui Aroha

Time Extension of your Official Information Act request, reference: GOV-016503

Thank you for your email of letter of 29 January 2022, asking for the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Dear Accident Compensation Corporation, Please provide all written complaints in your archive from the field of sexual abuse survivors and or current abuse survivors also most importantly all Accident Compensation Corporation cases Accident Compensation Corporation lost in court or by mediation relating to sexual abuse survivors being neglected by Accident Compensation Corporation at time of injury.

ACC needs extra time

The Act 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 14 March 2022.

This extension is required 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.

How to get in contact

Please contact me on <u>GovernmentServices@acc.co.nz</u> if you would like to talk about this letter. I will be happy to answer any questions or, if you have any concerns, work with you to resolve these.

If you are not happy with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman. Information about how to do this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phoning 0800 802 602.

Nāku iti noa, nā

Sasha Wood

Manager Official Information Act Services

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