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Tēnā koe Scott

Official information request

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request of 9 May 2022 seeking a copy of the post-exercise report for Exercise INTENSITY. Conducted in November 2021, Exercise INTENSITY was a national cyber security exercise conducted through the National Security System National Exercise Programme, and led by the National Cyber Security Centre (NCSC).

The National Security System's National Exercise Programme is chaired by the National Emergency Management Agency, hosted within the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.

Please find attached a copy of the post-exercise report. Some information has been withheld under section 6(a) of the OIA, as release of this information would likely prejudice the security or defence of New Zealand or the international relations of the Government of New Zealand.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact information@gcsb.govt.nz.

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 www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'Andrew Hampton', written in a cursive style.

Andrew Hampton

Te Tumu Whakarae mō Te Tira Tiaki
Director-General, GCSB