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Mark Wong

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Dear Mark

Thank you for your Official Information Act request (OIA), received on 18 May 2023. You requested:

Grant Roberson has been accused of using his official government instagram account to follow <https://www.instagram.com/cuteboyphilippines/>

*Can you please confirm whether or not Grant was ever following this account?
If so, can you confirm for how long he was following this account?*

Lastly, can you please supply evidence from Instagram to support your answers?

The Instagram account in question is not held in my Ministerial capacity, but is held in my personal capacity, and as a Member of Parliament. Therefore, it is not subject to the Official Information Act 1982. As such, any information about the Instagram account does not fall under the OIA, as specified in section 2(1) of the Act.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Grant Robertson'.

Hon Grant Robertson
Minister of Finance