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I refer to your email of 4 February 2023 in which you request the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

The names of any memos, reports or briefing notes sent or received by the Administrator to Tokelau over the past 30 days related to Tokelau.

If these dates have been superseded by a previous request, please provide the names from the last date of request until the receipt of this request.

Your previous OIA request on this topic was submitted on 4 January 2023, therefore this response covers the period 5 January 2023 to 4 February 2023 inclusive.

The information relevant to your request is as follows:

- US Tuna Treaty Renegotiation of Arrangements – Tokelau Views and Position
- Tokelau International Trust Fund Annual Report
- Tokelau COVID-19 Outbreak SITREP #6

Some names of memos, reports or briefing notes related to Tokelau, that were sent or received by the Administrator to Tokelau over the past 30 days, are withheld under section 9(2)(ba)(i) of the OIA, to protect the supply of confidential information by another party. We have identified no public interest in releasing the information that would override the reasons for withholding it.

Please note that we may publish this letter (with your personal details redacted) on the Ministry's website.

If you have any questions about this decision, you can contact us by email at: DM-ESD@mfat.govt.nz. You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision by contacting www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



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