



5 September 2023



Ref: OIA-2023/24-0138

Dear 

**Official Information Act request relating to Cabinet papers relating to overseas travel**

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 18 August 2023. You requested:

*Please provide the following 2 documents that were referenced in a prior OIA request. Despite the DPMC (generally, within 30 days) and yourselves (specifically saying these would be "publicly available soon") there are still no items returned by searching the DPMC publications site for these documents. The documents I am seeking are:*

*Paper: "Proposed Overseas Travel: China 25 June - 1 July 2023" CAB-23-SUB-254  
Minute: "Proposed Overseas Travel: Prime Minister, Hon Damien O'Connor and Hon Peeni Henare" CAB-23-MIN-254."*

The Cabinet paper and associated minutes covered by your request are currently being prepared for proactive release and will be publicly available online. Accordingly, I have refused your request information under section 18(d) of the Act, on the basis that the information requested will soon be publicly available.

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

Yours sincerely



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