



25 August 2025



Reference: OIA-2025/26-0090

Dear

**Official Information Act request relating to the consideration of issuing a third  
Emergency Mobile Alert on 31 July or 1 August 2025**

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 4 August 2025. You requested:

*“Please provide All records, including emails, meeting minutes and other documents pertaining to consideration of the issuance of a third emergency alert on 31 July 2025 or 1 August 2025”*

I can confirm the National Emergency Management Agency did not consider issuing a third alert in relation to this event. As such, no material has been identified as falling within scope of your request. Accordingly, I refuse your request under section 18(e) of the Act, as the information does not exist.

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

This response will be published on the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet’s website during our regular publication cycle. Typically, information is released monthly, or as otherwise determined. Your personal information including name and contact details will be removed for publication.

Yours sincerely



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