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Reference: OIA-2019/20-0217

Dear [Redacted]

Official Information Act request document *Advice on the cost of living*

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 17 October 2019. You requested:

a copy of the document DPMC sent Minister Faafoi on 22/08/19 entitled Advice on the cost of living.

The Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC) will proactively release the report you have requested on the DPMC website, at the following link: <https://dpmc.govt.nz/publications>.

I am therefore refusing your request under section 18(d) of the Act as 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.

Finally, for your information, this response will be published on DPMC'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

[Redacted Signature]

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