



18 March 2025



Ref: OIA-2024/25-0585

Dear 

Official Information Act request relating to various documents regarding the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 27 January 2025. You requested:

Under the Official Information Act 1982 I request the following:

Copies of all correspondence, including letters and emails to or from Hon Mark Mitchell, since 27 November 2023, regarding the following:

- The impact, if any, of Budget 2024 allocation of funding to Geohazard Information Services – GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre.*
- The future operating capability of Geohazard Information Services – GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre.*
- Changes, if any, required to Geohazard Information Services – GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre's operating capability due to the funding outlined in Budget 2024.*

Copies of all briefings, memos, advice, reports, or any other documents, provided to or from Hon Mark Mitchell since 27 November 2023 regarding the following:

- The required budget for operating GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre on a per year basis.*
- The suitability of Budget 2024's outlined financial allocation for Geohazard Information Services – GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre.*
- The impact, if any, of Budget 2024's outlined financial allocation for Geohazard Information Services – GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre.*
- The risk, if any, to Geohazard Information Services – GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre's future operation functionality or service delivery following Budget 2024's financial allocation.*
- Any services within Geohazard Information Services – GeoNet, the National Seismic Hazard Model and the 24/7 National Geohazard Monitoring Centre that would be unable to function, or have reduced functionality, following Budget 2024's financial allocation.*

Identified as in scope of your request are some briefings provided by the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE). I believe these briefings are more closely connected to the functions of MBIE. Accordingly, I have decided to partially transfer your

request as it relates to these briefings under section 14(b)(ii) of the Act. As it is already outside of the ten working day time limit for transferring a request, I have extended the time-limit available to make this transfer under section 15(A) of the Act. This extension is required because of the consultation needed to make a decision on your request.

The time frame for responding to your request was also extended under section 15A of the Act by 15 working days because it necessitated consultations to be undertaken before a decision could be made on the request. Following this extension, I am now in a position to respond.

Information being released

I have decided to release the relevant parts of the documents listed below, subject to information being withheld as noted. The relevant grounds under the Act which information has been withheld are:

- s9(2)(a), to protect the privacy of individuals
- s9(2)(ba)(i), to protect the supply of similar information in the future
- s9(2)(f)(iv), to maintain the confidentiality of advice tendered by or to Ministers and officials
- s9(2)(g)(i), to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through the free and frank expression of opinion.

Some information throughout the documents highlighted below have information within them that is not in scope of your request and is marked accordingly.

Item	Date	Document description/subject	Decision
1	19/11/2024	Email: FOR ACTION: Actions from MBIE/NEMA officials meeting on GeoNet with Minister Mitchell - Wed 13 November 2024	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a)
2	1/11/2024	Email: FOR ACTION: MBIE/NEMA meeting with Minister Mitchell on GeoNet	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a)
3	9/07/2024	Email: FOR INFO: 2324-3533 Statement of Corporate Intent Extension - and response to question from MoF	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), s9(2)(ba)(i), s9(2)(f)(iv)
4	22/05/2024	Email: FOR REVIEW: Budget 2024 comms - Geohazards	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), s9(2)(g)(i)
5	24/04/2024	Email: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a)
6	22/04/2024	Email: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), attachments withheld under s18(d)
7	28/03/2024	Email: Geohazards bid	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), s9(2)(ba)(i), s9(2)(f)(iv)
8	21/02/2024	Email: FOR ACTION: Options for Geohazards funding	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), s9(2)(g)(i)
9	9/02/2024	Email: FOR ADVICE: 2324-1936 Options for Geohazards funding	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), attachments withheld under s18(d)

Item	Date	Document description/subject	Decision
10	2/02/2024	Email: FOR INFO: MBIE Briefing 2324-1827 Emergency Management Geohazards funding information for MBIE baseline review	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), attachments withheld under s18(d)
11	14/12/2024	Email: FOR ADVICE: 2324-1028 Sustainable arrangements for GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard Model	Release with some information withheld under s9(2)(a), 9(2)(g)(i), attachments withheld under s18(d)

Information publicly available

The following information is also covered by your request and is publicly available at the website links provided:

Date	Document Title	Website Address
18/04/2024	Briefing: Implications of Budget 2024 funding for Geohazards data, information and monitoring services	www.mbie.govt.nz/dmsdocument/29462-2324-3067-implications-of-budget-2024-funding-for-geohazards-data-information-and-monitoring-services-pdf
9/02/2024	Briefing: Budget 2024 - Options for Geohazards Budget bid	www.mbie.govt.nz/dmsdocument/29444-2324-1936-budget-2024-options-for-geohazards-budget-bid-pdf
2/02/2024	Briefing: Budget 2024: Emergency Management portfolio funding for geohazards - information for MBIE baseline review	www.mbie.govt.nz/dmsdocument/29435-2324-1827-budget-2024-emergency-management-portfolio-funding-for-geohazards-information-for-mbie-baseline-review-pdf
14/12/2023	Briefing: Sustainable arrangements for GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard model	www.mbie.govt.nz/dmsdocument/29410-2324-1028-sustainable-arrangements-for-geonet-and-the-national-seismic-hazard-model-pdf

Accordingly, I have refused your request for the documents listed in the table above under section 18(d) of the Act, as the information requested is publicly available.

Information being withheld

There is one additional briefing in scope of your request titled '*Implications of Budget 24 Decisions on Enhanced Geohazards Monitoring*' dated 15 August 2024. I have decided to withhold this in full under section 9(2)(f)(iv) of the Act, to maintain the confidentiality of advice tendered by or to Ministers and officials.

In making my decision, I have considered the public interest considerations in section 9(1) of the Act. No public interest has been identified that would be sufficient to override the reasons for withholding that information.

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



Stefan Weir
Chief of Staff

ITEM 1

From: [EMPS PrivateSecretary](#)
To: [^MBIE: Joe McKay](#); [^EXT:Carolyn Tremain](#); [^MBIE: Jain Cossar](#); [Jenna Rogers \[NEMA\]](#); [Dave Gawn \[NEMA\]](#)
Cc: [Stefan Weir \[NEMA\]](#); [Rima Khorshid \[NEMA\]](#); [Harry Stanley](#); [Sarah Holland \[NEMA\]](#)
Subject: FOR ACTION: Actions from MBIE/NEMA officials meeting on GeoNet with Minister Mitchell - Wed 13 November 2024
Date: Tuesday, 19 November 2024 4:12:56 pm
Attachments: [image001.jpg](#)
Importance: High

Kia ora koutou,

Thank you for attending the meeting with Minister Mitchell last week to discuss Budget 2024 implications for GeoNet and the geohazards appropriation.

Here are the **actions arising** from the meeting:

- Not in Scope [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- MBIE to commission GNS advice to Minister Mitchell on decisions taken/expected regarding the reprioritisation of funding for GeoNet and implications for service provision, particularly for the NGMC and life safety warning advice (note suggestion for potential visit by Minister Mitchell to GNS/the NGMC including meeting with senior staff and Board)
- Not in Scope [REDACTED]

Joe – as discussed, let’s keep in touch on delivery timeframes and approach for the above.

Happy to discuss.

Hei kōnā mai,
Dana



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ITEM 2

From: [EMPS PrivateSecretary](#)
To: [^MBIE: Joe McKay](#)
Cc: [Harry Stanley](#); [Rima Khorshid \[NEMA\]](#)
Subject: FOR ACTION: MBIE/NEMA meeting with Minister Mitchell on GeoNet
Date: Friday, 1 November 2024 9:54:53 am
Attachments: [image001.jpg](#)
Importance: High

Kia ora Joe,

As per our discussion yesterday, Minister Mitchell has requested a meeting with senior MBIE and NEMA officials to better understand (particularly from MBIE) the status of GeoNet and associated funding decisions. Minister Mitchell has questions and concerns as the Minister for Emergency Management and Recovery, and as the appropriation Minister.

In particular, the Minister would like officials to provide answers in the meeting to his following questions:

- What are the overall implications of the Budget 24 decisions on GeoNet?
- What decisions have been made, if any, regarding the \$6 million funding for enhanced geohazards monitoring that I understand [based on a response to a media query provided by MBIE] is ringfenced for the NGMC?
- How are decisions being made on what is prioritised by GeoNet within the fiscal constraints and how am I being advised of this?
- Is the NGMC being impacted more than other services provided by GeoNet to other portfolios? If so why, given the funding should be ringfenced and the consequences are at an unacceptable level of risk to life safety? How am I being advised or consulted on these decisions?

A meeting has been booked for 9.00-9.45am on Wednesday 13 November in the Minister's office (4.3L Beehive). I'll send you a meeting invitation to pass along to MBIE attendees – can you please confirm who these will be once you know (and by Mon 11 Nov)?

Over to you as to whether you would like to provide any advice in writing, and to liaise with Harry (copied, and we have also discussed) about any expectations from Minister Collins' office. Harry is also going to keep me posted on whether Minister Collins' advisor wishes to sit in on the meeting.

Happy to discuss further if you have any questions.

Many thanks,
Dana



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 Cc: [Stefan Weir \[NEMA\]](#); [Meagan Beecroft \[NEMA\]](#); [Ann Kilgour \[NEMA\]](#)
 Subject: FOR INFO: 2324-3533 Statement of Corporate Intent Extension - and response to question from MoF **IN-CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**
 Date: Tuesday, 9 July 2024 5:17:23 pm
 Attachments: [image001.png](#)
[image002.jpg](#)
[image003.png](#)

Hi Rima,

Apologies – just picked this up in the inbox **s9(2)(a)**

Hopefully MBIE passed to you directly but forwarding on just in case.

Thanks,
Dana

From: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>
 Sent: Monday, June 24, 2024 12:27 PM
 To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
 Cc: Richard Walley <Richard.Walley@mbie.govt.nz>; Delia Cormack <Delia.Cormack@mbie.govt.nz>; Andrew Watson <Andrew.Watson@mbie.govt.nz>; Trevor Drage <Trevor.Drage@mbie.govt.nz>; Robyn Henderson <Robyn.Henderson@mbie.govt.nz>; Hugo Bussell <Hugo.Bussell@parliament.govt.nz>
 Subject: FW: 2324-3533 Statement of Corporate Intent Extension - and response to question from MoF **IN-CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**

Kia ora Dana

We have had a request via the SIT Office for information about the Geohazards funding, in the context of seeking shareholding Ministers' agreement to extend the deadline for GNS submit their Statement of Corporate Intent. The Minister of Finance asked for info on the shortfall for GNS compared with GNS's expectation.

I have provided our answer to this questions below FYI.

Best wishes, Linda

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Kia ora Hugo,

Response to question below

The Minister of Finance had one question - How much less funding are we delivering vs GNS's expectation?

- Over the next 4 years (to 27/28) GNS requested a minimum of **s9(2)(f)(iv)** to maintain GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard Model (NSHM) (with loss of capitalisation in play, detail below).
- GNS received through Budget 24 \$106.94m for the 4 year period - **s9(2)(ba)(i)**

s9(2)(f)(iv)

- If, for example, the shortfall is provided to maintain the level of funding at 24/25 **s9(2)(f)(iv)** over the 4 year period to 27/28, total funding would be **s9(2)(ba)(i), s9(2)(f)(iv)** This example is without GNS's margin being applied or capitalisation impact accounted for (detail below).
- We are working with agencies and GNS to consider future work programmes. The proposed split between GeoNet **s9(2)(ba)(i), s9(2)(f)(iv)** and NSHM **s9(2)(ba)(i)** for 24/25 will mean a small increase in GeoNet funding compared with 23/24 **s9(2)(ba)(i)** though less than what they requested through Budget. Overall, we consider this is a good outcome for GeoNet for 24/25. NSHM will have a reduced programme of development.
- GNS will be concerned about the shortfall being realised. MBIE SIT's expectation is that GNS works directly with users of those services to commission and cost them appropriately.
- Not in Scope



Not in Scope

What GNS requested

The scaled maintain budget bid was as follows:

		24/25	25/26	26/27	27/28
Total GeoNet Initiative Funding	0	s9(2)(ba)(i), s9(2)(f)(iv)			
Total NSHM Initiative Funding	0				
Total Non-departmental initiative cost	0				

The Bid reflected a "maintain" option with no expansion of the sensor network to the Alpine Fault and Auckland volcanic fields. The funding numbers are the result of complex calculations.

The Bid also reflects that capex was included as far as possible as opex (as directed by Treasury as no Cabinet approved capex business plan was available). This had a s9(2)(ba)(i)

We are working with EQC to address the capital requirements for 24/25 and so expect to reduce the capitalisation/accounting impact.

The increasing funding profile reflects application proportionally of a 10% margin – fully applied in 27/28 to reflect full cost funding.

The Budget result

Budget 2024 Result

Policy Initiative	Year of First Impact	2023/24 Final Budgeted \$000	2024/25 Budget \$000	2025/26 Estimated \$000	2026/27 Estimated \$000	2027/28 Estimated \$000
Current Government						
Services for Hazards Management						
Geohazard Information Services: GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard Model	2024/25	-	30,778	26,055	26,055	24,055

Total \$106.9m

s9(2)(f)(iv)

- 32 **agreed** that the funding shortfall from 2025/26 will need to be sourced from entities who use specific Geohazard services;
- 33 **noted** that from 2025/26 the National Emergency Management Agency is expected to pay for a portion of the National Geohazard Monitoring Centre, and that the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment will need to source funding for a portion of the National Seismic Hazard Model;
- 34 **invited** the Minister for Emergency Management and Recovery and the Minister of Science, Innovation and Technology to report back to Cabinet before Budget 2025 with finalised funding arrangements;

This results in a small increase in funding for GeoNet c.f. this year (\$25.4m = \$18.7m opex + \$6.7m capex) but is s9(2)(ba)(i) than the scaled option sought.

We believe for 24/25 this is a good outcome for GeoNet, maybe not as good for NSHM (but agencies believe this is a fair amount for a scaled back programme).

The out year funding requires NEMA and MBIE-Building to help address the funding shortfall and possible cost pressure increases for out years respectively for part of GeoNet (24/7 monitoring centre -NGMC) and NSHM.

Nga mihi

Andrew Watson

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ITEM 4

From: [EMPS PrivateSecretary](#)
To: [Rima Khorshid \[NEMA\]](#) **IN-CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**
Subject: FOR REVIEW: Budget 2024 comms - Geohazards
Date: Wednesday, 22 May 2024 3:34:16 pm
Attachments: [image002.jpg](#)
[image003.jpg](#)
[Geonet and NSHM Budget 24 comms summary.docx](#)

Hi Rima,

Could you please quickly review as discussed.

Thanks!
Dana

From: Ally Koehler <Ally.Koehler@mbie.govt.nz>
Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2024 1:06 PM
To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Cc: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>; Jackie Fawcett <Jackie.Fawcett@mbie.govt.nz>; Richard Walley <Richard.Walley@mbie.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: Budget 2024 comms - Geohazards **IN-CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**

Hi Dana,

Please see below/attached summary of this initiative as requested. This has also had input from NEMA.

<p>Summary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Baseline funding to maintain GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard Model (NSHM). Funding will enable GNS Science to maintain specialist capability and datasets of national significance related to geohazards including earthquakes, volcanoes, tsunamis and landslides. This work supports New Zealand to manage geohazard risk in the short and longer-terms, with broad and positive impacts on human capability, health, safety, and economic resilience 	<p>New funding \$106.8 million over four years</p> <p>Vote BSI appropriation. Minister responsible = Minister for Emergency Management and Recovery</p>
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s9(2)(g)(i)



Ngā mihi,

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Subject: Budget 2024 comms - Geohazards ~~IN CONFIDENCE~~ UNCLASSIFIED

Kia ora Ally,

I'm just catching up on emails from being away on leave and saw a recent chain where you're listed as the comms contact.

Our Press Sec, Fleur, has asked for a short email or one-pager on the key aspects to this funding to inform her conversations about whether to do/incorporate in a budget announcement.

Are you able to please pull something together, ideally by this Wed 22 May if possible?

Happy to discuss.

Thanks,
Dana



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To: [Stefan Weir \[NEMA\]](#); [Rima Khorshid \[NEMA\]](#)
Subject: FW: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services **RESTRICTED UNCLASSIFIED**
Date: Wednesday, 24 April 2024 9:24:58 am
Attachments: [image001.jpg](#)

FYI,

Bailey had asked to get some more context on the briefing MBIE put up on Monday with the 1 day turnaround time, this is their response.

Ngā mihi,
Stella



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Subject: RE: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services **RESTRICTED UNCLASSIFIED**

Kia Ora Stella

I've asked for confirmation of the timing of the Cabinet budget discussion, but am yet to hear back from Treasury but our understanding here is that it is the 29 April. I will let you know if I hear anything different.

Treasury was briefing the Min of Finance re budget proposals and we wanted to ensure Min Mitchell received this briefing on a similar time frame, which is the reason for the timing - we were aligning to the Treasury timeframe.

It is really pleasing to have this indication of ongoing base-lined funding for geoNet, especially given the constraints on government finances.

Nga mihi nui.

Jackie Fawcett

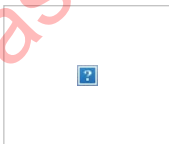
From: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2024 3:08 PM
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Subject: RE: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services **RESTRICTED UNCLASSIFIED**

Kia ora Jackie,

Our office has spoken to Minister Collins' office today, who have advised the deadline on this briefing is able to be extended to allow the Minister to fully consider the contents of the briefing.

We are seeking some more context about the Cabinet budget discussion; do you have a date for this meeting?

Ngā mihi,
Stella



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Subject: RE: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services [RESTRICTED]

Hi there

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This is the date I was advised for briefing the Minister prior to the Cabinet budget discussion.

Jackie

From: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
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Cc: Briefings <briefings@mbie.govt.nz>; LSE Coordinator <LSECoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services ~~RESTRICTED~~ UNCLASSIFIED

Kia ora Jackie,

Thanks for reaching out. I note the deadline for sign-off on this briefing is the 23 April.

It's a recess week and the Minister will not be receiving papers until Friday. I could get this expedited if this is urgent, is there a reason this needs to be signed out tomorrow?

Ngā mihi,
Stella



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Please find attached briefing (budget sensitive) re geohazard funding

regards

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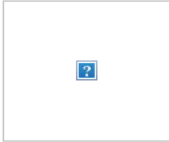
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Kia ora,

Please find attached briefing from MBIE regarding geohazard funding.

Let me know if you have any comments before this is sent to the Minister.

Ngā mihi,
Stella



Stella Goodyear ([she/her](#))
 (Acting) Private Secretary – Emergency Management | Office of Hon Mark Mitchell
 Minister of Police
 Minister of Corrections
 Minister for Emergency Management and Recovery
 MP for Whangaparāoa
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Sent: Monday, April 22, 2024 9:25 AM
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Cc: Briefings <briefings@mbie.govt.nz>; LSE Coordinator <LSECoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>
Subject: 2324-3067 Implications of Budget 2024 funding for geohazard services ~~RESTRICTED~~ UNCLASSIFIED

Please find attached briefing (budget sensitive) re geohazard funding

regards

Jackie Fawcett

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Cc: [Rima Khorshid \[NEMA\]](#); [SITCoordinator](#); [Jackie Fawcett](#)
Subject: RE: Geohazards bid [UNCLASSIFIED]
Date: Thursday, 28 March 2024 10:51:10 am
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Thanks Linda. If you could please get it to me by 2pm today that would be great – there's a chance I might even be able to get it done and back to you this afternoon if the time slot doesn't get taken over

From: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 9:16 AM
To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Cc: Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <rima.khorshid@nema.govt.nz>; SITCoordinator <SITCoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>; Jackie Fawcett <Jackie.Fawcett@mbie.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: Geohazards bid [UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi Dana

s9(2)(a)

We have 2 April as the deadline - The briefing only has noting recs, but the Minister may find the material useful to support the budget process.

Thanks, Linda

From: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 9:03 AM
To: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>
Cc: Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <rima.khorshid@nema.govt.nz>; SITCoordinator <SITCoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: Geohazards bid [UNCLASSIFIED]

Kia ora Linda,

Thanks for your emails. I'm back on deck s9(2)(a) !

When do you ideally need the signed briefing back? This will inform delivery timeframes my end but, if we're aiming for the weekend bag, I'll need it by 2pm today latest please.

s9(2)(a), Not in Scope

Thanks,
Dana

From: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 8:50 AM
To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Cc: Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <rima.khorshid@nema.govt.nz>; SITCoordinator <SITCoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: Geohazards bid [UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi Dana

s9(2)(a)

An update on the below – We have now been asked to provide individual portfolio briefings rather than an MBIE wide briefing. We'll have this ready to send over later today. The briefing gives advice on the new scaled options for GeoNet and NSHM. Short turnaround advice was provided to Treasury earlier this week.

Please would you let me know if there are any timeframes we need to meet today. Otherwise, I expect we'll email the briefing this afternoon

Thanks, Linda

From: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Sent: Friday, March 22, 2024 5:22 PM
To: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>
Cc: Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <rima.khorshid@nema.govt.nz>
Subject: Re: Geohazards bid [UNCLASSIFIED]

Ack, thanks Linda

Stefan s9(2)(a)

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From: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>
Sent: Friday, March 22, 2024 2:58:13 PM
To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Cc: Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <rima.khorshid@nema.govt.nz>
Subject: Geohazards bid [UNCLASSIFIED]

Kia ora Dana

I hope you are well.

I wanted to let you know that MBIE has been asked to provide the MoF and AMoF with some additional scaled options for the Geohazards bid – s9(2)(ba)(i), s9(2)(f)(iv)

We are providing advice in line with that provided to Minister Mitchell in Briefing 2324-1936 –

- s9(2)(ba)(i), s9(2)(f)(iv) [redacted]
[redacted]
- [redacted]
[redacted]

I understand Minister Mitchell will be cc'd on MBIE's briefing, so you should see it soon ish.

Let me know if you need any more info

Best wishes, Linda

Linda Moore (pronouns: she/her/hers)
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To: [Tamzin Linnell \[NEMA\]](#)
Cc: [Stefan Weir \[NEMA\]](#); [Rima Khorshid \[NEMA\]](#)
Subject: RE: FOR ACTION: Options for Geohazards funding **IN CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**
Date: Wednesday, 21 February 2024 2:05:22 pm
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Thanks very much for this Tamzin!

Not in Scope – could you please do me a big favour and print copies of the documents suggested below and bring over for the meeting?

Thanks heaps,
Dana

From: Tamzin Linnell [NEMA] <Tamzin.Linnell@nema.govt.nz>
Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2024 11:27 AM
To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Cc: Stefan Weir [NEMA] <Stefan.Weir@nema.govt.nz>; Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <Rima.Khorshid@nema.govt.nz>
Subject: FW: FOR ACTION: Options for Geohazards funding **IN CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**

Hi Dana

Keeping this current – the below talking points are all still relevant, however following MBIE's email yesterday please see below if useful.

Purpose of meeting: Minister Mitchell to specify expectations with respect to advice he is expecting to receive soon on sustainable funding of GeoNet and National Seismic Hazard Model.

Ideal outcome:

1. s9(2)(g)(i)

2. Not in Scope

3.

Likely discussion focus:

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3. Not in Scope

4.

Suggested papers to print and have available:

- Not in Scope
- [Redacted]
- MBIE briefing re Budget bid with section highlighted indicating the multiple users and beneficiaries of GeoNet
- Not in Scope

From: Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <Rima.Khorshid@nema.govt.nz>

Sent: Wednesday, February 14, 2024 1:57 PM

To: ^Parliament: EM PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>

Cc: Stefan Weir [NEMA] <Stefan.Weir@nema.govt.nz>; Jenna Rogers [NEMA] <Jenna.Rogers@nema.govt.nz>; Tamzin Linnell [NEMA] <Tamzin.Linnell@nema.govt.nz>

Subject: RE: FOR ACTION: Options for Geohazards funding **IN-CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**

[IN-CONFIDENCE]

Kia ora Dana

Please see below some key bullet points for the Minister ahead of his meeting with MBIE and NEMA senior officials tomorrow.

Note we have provided:

- Key context (which may be useful for the Minister's office), and
- Both, detailed and short-hand talking points that can support the Minister

Let me know if you have any questions

Cheers
Rima

Context for cover memo:

- You are meeting with senior officials from MBIE and NEMA to discuss the Budget initiative for geohazards funding (GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard Model) and upcoming joint advice on sustainable funding options, including ongoing portfolio responsibility for GeoNet.
- Note that GeoNet is an initiative within GNS Science, a Crown Research Institute. It is a combination of infrastructure, datasets and capability which inform science research, the insurance and building sectors, emergency management and land information management.

GeoNet is currently “club funded” by a range of portfolios, including Science, Innovation and Technology, Emergency Management and EQC. The sustainable approach will ideally seek to simplify the investment approach, potentially by a single investor being responsible for investment in core infrastructure, with additional services being paid for by relevant agencies.

- Note that MBIE invests in a range of science infrastructure in its Strategic Science Investment Fund (Infrastructure) platform and is responsible for overseeing the performance of the Crown Research Institutes, including their financial sustainability.
- NEMA expects advice on portfolio responsibility must start with assessing the suitability of this platform in the Science, Innovation and Technology portfolio.
- Note that you have been asked to submit a Budget initiative to the Treasury on Friday 16 February however MBIE has not yet provided options or advice on which portfolio is best placed to take forward the investment.
- MBIE has advised you that they expect to provide joint (with NEMA) advice on sustainable arrangements for GeoNet by 12 March 2024. Officials are currently sharing their expectations for how to approach this advice.
- At this meeting, s9(2)(g)(i) [REDACTED]

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Cheers
Rima

From: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, February 13, 2024 4:26 PM
To: Tamzin Linnell [NEMA] <Tamzin.Linnell@nema.govt.nz>; Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <Rima.Khorshid@nema.govt.nz>
Cc: Stefan Weir [NEMA] <Stefan.Weir@nema.govt.nz>; Jenna Rogers [NEMA] <Jenna.Rogers@nema.govt.nz>
Subject: FOR ACTION: Options for Geohazards funding ~~IN-CONFIDENCE~~ UNCLASSIFIED

Kia ora kōrua,

As discussed, please could you complete the following commissioning to support this meeting:

Commissioning request	
What	Supporting materials for NEMA + MBIE meeting with Minister on options for Geohazards funding
Why	Meeting is booked with Tier 2 NEMA and MBIE officials with Minister 11.00-11.30am Thu 15 Feb
By when	COB Wed 14 Feb
Details	Please cover/consider: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Whatever supporting materials you deem most appropriate/useful to support the meeting conversations e.g. suggested questions/talking points, position statements

Happy to discuss.

Thanks,
Dana

From: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>
Sent: Tuesday, February 13, 2024 12:00 PM
To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: 2324-1936 Options for Geohazards funding **IN-CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**

Thanks Dana

We'll discuss and our end and confirm who will attend

Best wishes, Linda

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Sent: Tuesday, February 13, 2024 11:47 AM
To: Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>; Tamzin Linnell <Tamzin.Linnell@nema.govt.nz>
Cc: SITCoordinator <SITCoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>; Briefings <briefings@mbie.govt.nz>; Karen McDonald <Karen.McDonald@mbie.govt.nz>; Elizaveta Sadovaya <Elizaveta.Sadovaya@mbie.govt.nz>; Anita Ng <Anita.Ng@mbie.govt.nz>; Andrew Watson <Andrew.Watson@mbie.govt.nz>; Robyn Henderson <Robyn.Henderson@mbie.govt.nz>; Richard Walley <Richard.Walley@mbie.govt.nz>; Iain Cossar <Iain.Cossar@mbie.govt.nz>; Landon McMillan <Landon.McMillan@mbie.govt.nz>; Nic Blakeley <Nic.Blakeley@mbie.govt.nz>; Annie Liang <Annie.Liang@mbie.govt.nz>; Rima Khorshid [NEMA] <rima.khorshid@nema.govt.nz>; Stefan Weir [NEMA] <Stefan.Weir@nema.govt.nz>; Jenna Rogers (Komiti) <Jenna.Rogers@nema.govt.nz>; Ann Kilgour [NEMA] <Ann.Kilgour@nema.govt.nz>
Subject: RE: 2324-1936 Options for Geohazards funding **IN-CONFIDENCE UNCLASSIFIED**
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Kia ora Linda and Tamzin,

Please see the attached signed briefing for your records.

Please note the Minister's comment on page 3 reiterating his desire for joint NEMA and MBIE advice on the full suite of options for long term sustainable funding including portfolio responsibility.

At the NEMA officials meeting yesterday, Minister Mitchell also requested a meeting this week with MBIE and NEMA senior officials to discuss the attached and upcoming briefings.

A meeting has been scheduled for 11.00-11.30am this Thursday 15 February. A Tier 2 official from each of NEMA and MBIE is requested to please attend. Support from Tier 3s and/or SMEs is also welcomed, but please coordinate on this and be mindful of numbers.

Happy to discuss.

Thanks,

Dana

From: Annie Liang <Annie.Liang@mbie.govt.nz>

Sent: Friday, February 9, 2024 1:25 PM

To: EMPS PrivateSecretary <EMPrivateSecretary@parliament.govt.nz>; Linda Moore <Linda.Moore@mbie.govt.nz>; Andrew Watson <Andrew.Watson@mbie.govt.nz>; Robyn Henderson <Robyn.Henderson@mbie.govt.nz>; Richard Walley <Richard.Walley@mbie.govt.nz>; Iain Cossar <Iain.Cossar@mbie.govt.nz>; Landon McMillan <Landon.McMillan@mbie.govt.nz>; Nic Blakeley <Nic.Blakeley@mbie.govt.nz>

Cc: SITCoordinator <SITCoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>; Briefings <briefings@mbie.govt.nz>; Karen McDonald <Karen.McDonald@mbie.govt.nz>; Elizaveta Sadovaya <Elizaveta.Sadovaya@mbie.govt.nz>; Anita Ng <Anita.Ng@mbie.govt.nz>; Annie Liang <Annie.Liang@mbie.govt.nz>

Subject: 2324-1936 Options for Geohazards funding ~~IN CONFIDENCE~~ UNCLASSIFIED

Good afternoon,

Please see attached briefing Options for Geohazards funding.

Please let me know if you require hard copies.

Many thanks,

Annie Liang (She/They)

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Importance: High

Kia ora koutou,

Please see attached briefing from MBIE.

Can you please provide advice to me on recommended next steps.

Happy to discuss.

Thanks,
Dana

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Many thanks,
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Kia ora koutou,

Please see attached MBIE briefing to our Minister FYI. This will be included in Minister Mitchell's weekend bag and has also been passed along to David Seymour's office.

Thanks,
Dana

From: SITCoordinator <SITCoordinator@mbie.govt.nz>
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Subject: 2324-1827 Emergency Management Geohazards funding information for MBIE baseline review ~~IN-CONFIDENCE~~ UNCLASSIFIED

Good afternoon,

Please see attached briefing Emergency Management Geohazards funding information for MBIE baseline review

[@Dana MacDiarmid \(Parliament\)](#) can you please forward this briefing to Hon David Seymour, Associate Minister of Finance office.

Please let me know if you require hard copies.

Many thanks,
Lisa

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Kia ora koutou,

As discussed, please see briefing attached. Note that I've given Bailey a short summary and he confirmed that the Minister's office s9(2)(g)(i)

Can you please provide advice/update on proposed next steps.

Happy to discuss.

Thanks,

Dana

From: SITCoordinator

Sent: Thursday, 14 December 2023 12:45 PM

To: EMPS PrivateSecretary

Cc: Izzie Alderton ; Linda Moore ; Briefings ; SITCoordinator

Subject: 2324-1028 Sustainable arrangements for GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard Model ~~IN-CONFIDENCE~~ UNCLASSIFIED

Good afternoon Dana,

Please see attached Sustainable arrangements for GeoNet and the National Seismic Hazard Model briefing.

Many thanks,

Lisa

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