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31<sup>st</sup> May 2018

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your Official Information Act request, received on 3 May 2018. You requested the following:

*“... all advice the Minister of Health has received from the Treasury regarding the Government’s decision to not proceed with a public-private partnership model for the proposed new Dunedin Hospital.”*

### Information Being Released

Please find enclosed the following document:

Item	Date	Document Description	Decision
1.	8 November 2017	Treasury Report: Vote Health’s Fiscal Position	Release in part

I have decided to release the relevant part only of the document listed in the above table. The rest of the document is outside the scope of your request.

Please note that this letter (with your personal details removed) and enclosed documents may be published on the Treasury website.

This reply addresses the information you requested. You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision.

Yours sincerely

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**Annex 1: Dunedin Hospital Status update**

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**Procurement**

The size and complexity of this project will be without precedent in the New Zealand market. Ensuring a competitive procurement process for the main contractor to build the hospital will be critical to successful delivery and has strategic implications for other projects in both the health and the wider infrastructure pipeline. Recognizing the concerns raised about a Public Private Partnership (PPP) model, alternative approaches for achieving the benefits of a PPP (certainty of cost and delivery schedule, ongoing asset management, etc.) should also be considered.

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