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**Official Information Act request**

Thank you for your information request dated 5 April 2018. Your questions and my answers are as follows:

1. *To the best of your knowledge, were any computers within your Government department affected by the WannaCry ransomware attack?*

Answer: We have not detected any instances of WannaCry on any Te Puni Kōkiri computers.

2. *Was access to external email websites (e.g. Gmail, Yahoo Mail, Hotmail, etc) blocked as a result of the WannaCry ransomware attack? If YES, is access to these external email websites still blocked (as at 23 February 2018)*

Answer: Te Puni Kōkiri blocks webmail access to almost all staff. Our access rules were not changed as a result of WannaCry.

3. *Please provide a copy of any email communications sent to ALL staff (i.e. all employees rather than emails circulating within specific business units)*

Answer: No all staff communications were sent with regard to WannaCry.

I trust my response satisfies your request.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

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If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact Madeline Smith, Senior Advisor, Ministerials and Business Support via [smitm@tpk.govt.nz](mailto:smitm@tpk.govt.nz).

Ngā mihi

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