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Tēnā koe 9(2)(a)

I refer to your request received on 21 September 2022, which has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), for a copy of the register of nationally significant protected New Zealand objects that is maintained under section 7F of the Protected Objects Act 1975 (the Act).

Information being released

Appendix One: NSOR entries as at 4 October 2022 has been attached with this letter.

It is important to note that any object forming part of the movable cultural heritage of New Zealand, that meets the Act's definition of a protected New Zealand object, requires Ministry permission before it may be exported, regardless of its presence on the Nationally Significant Objects Register. The Ministry works closely with exporters and New Zealand Customs to ensure this happens.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

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