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Dear Rodney Parsons

Further to the email to you of 3 February 2025, and in the absence of further clarification from you, the New Zealand Defence Force is not aware of any allegations or complaints that might constitute war crimes outside the scope of the Burnham Inquiry. Your request is therefore declined in accordance with section 18(e) of the OIA because the requested information does not exist.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the OIA, to ask an Ombudsman to review this response to your request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at <u>www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</u> or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that responses to official information requests are proactively released where possible. This response to your request will be published shortly on the NZDF website.

Yours sincerely

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