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Dear

I refer to your email of 9 June 2025 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), the following information:

a list of all formal written advice produced on the following topics since 1 January 2024:

Joint All Domain Command and Control (JADC2)

Combined All Domain Command and Control (CJADC2)

Project Overmatch

Project Convergence

Advanced Battle Management System (ABMS)

Depart of the Air Force (DAF) Battle Network

The below table provides a list of readily retrievable briefings and reports that provided advice on the subjects listed.

Subject	Briefings / Reports
Joint All Domain Command and Control	None.
Combined Joint All Domain Command and Control	Post Activity Report: Air Force Interoperability Council Meeting, 28 Apr to 1 May 2025
	Post Activity Report: Air Force Interoperability Council Meeting, 07 to 10 Oct 2024
	Post Activity Report: Air Force Interoperability Council Meeting, 10 to 12 Apr 2024
	Post Activity Report: Air Force Interoperability Council Meeting, 13 to 14 Nov 2023
Project Overmatch	Post Activity Report: Project Overmatch Cooperative Project Personnel – initial meeting
	Post Activity Report: Project Overmatch Cooperative Project Personnel meeting May 2025
Convergence Capstone	Support Request: Project Convergence Capstone 5, 24 Apr 2024
	Post Visit Report: Chief of Army Visit to Project Convergence Capstone 5
	Project Convergence Capstone 5 MPC Outcomes
	Post Activity Report: 16 Field Regiment, Project
	Convergence Capstone 5
Advance Battle Management System	None
Department of the Air Force Battle Network	None

- What is New Zealand's involvement, if any, in CJADC2?
- Further, what information, if any, does New Zealand exchange with partners through CJADC2?
- Further, and beyond legislation, what agreements, regulations, frameworks, policies, or processes, if any, govern this exchange?
- Further, what safeguards, if any, exist to prevent New Zealand information being shared with nuclear-capable or lethal autonomous weapons systems?

With respect to the United States military Combined Joint All Domain Command and Control, when operating alongside the United States military on exercises, deployments, or training, New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF) personnel will communicate via United States' networks that are available to partners for tactical purposes. Controls of partner access are governed and managed by the United States.

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Yours sincerely

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