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Dr Russel Norman MP
House of Representatives
Parliament Buildings
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Dear Dr Norman

**GOVERNMENT COMMUNICATIONS SECURITY BUREAU (GCSB)
COMPLAINT PURSUANT TO s216B, CRIMES ACT 1961**

At the beginning of October 2012, following your complaint, the Police Commissioner directed that a criminal investigation be commenced to look into your allegation that the GCSB acted illegally, having committed an offence against section 216B, Crimes Act 1961 with their involvement in the Kim Dotcom case.

This letter is to inform you that I have been appointed to oversee this complaint and to advise you of the process for this investigation.

I have appointed a team of senior investigators who have assembled in Wellington, and have already begun inquiries into this allegation. In the coming weeks the team will be interviewing key witnesses in this matter, before reporting to me on the outcome of those inquiries.

At this stage I am expecting an initial report on the investigation the week ending 15 November 2012. Following that I will write to you again with an update and expected course of action from that point.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Peter Read
Detective Superintendent: Southern