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Dear [REDACTED]

I refer to your email of 3 February 2026 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

Please supply a list of all meetings held between NZDF Executive Leadership and representatives of the following companies since 1 July 2025, including date and location:

- *Palantir*
- *Anduril*

No meetings between New Zealand Defence Force executive leadership and representatives of Anduril or Palantir took place. Therefore, this request is declined under section 18(e) of the OIA, as 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 www.ombudsman.parliament.nz 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, with your personal information removed.

Yours sincerely

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