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Subject: RE: **CLASSIFICATION** Gigablue briefing

Thanks Jo,
I understand that Minister's asked for advice but have not set a deadline, so should be ok to move.
Ngā mihi
David

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Kia ora David

I'm not across what the driver is for this advice – if there is no deadline or expectation of action from the Minister's office then I'm ok to move the deadline out.

Cheers
Jo

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*If you are wondering about the inclusion of my pronouns on this signature,
[read this article from SSC](#) about how sharing pronouns in this way can help create an inclusive
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Hi Jo and Stephen,

I am getting in touch to request some more time before we deliver the Gigablue briefing. The teams are working through feedback from managers and the EPA 9(2)(h)

The briefing currently contains a lot of detail, and we are lifting up the narrative up a level. To do this and ensure agencies (MFAT and EPA) are across the changes, we would like to extend the delivery date of this briefing from 10 June to 24 June. Are you comfortable with this?

Ngā mihi
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