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Media briefing: Exercise Tangaroa Tsunami Threat

This information is part of Exercise Tangaroa. There is no tsunami. We are part of a test of New Zealand's arrangements for preparing for, responding to, and recovering from a national tsunami impact. For more information to go <http://www.civildefence.govt.nz/cdem-sector/exercises/exercisetangaroa2016/>

Media are invited to a media briefing today about the response to the Exercise Tangaroa Tsunami Threat.

The briefing will be at 10:00am today 31 August 2016 in the media room at the National Crisis Management Centre (NCMC) and will be given by Sarah Stuart-Black, Director Civil Defence, Ministry of Civil Defence & Emergency Management.

Entry to the media room is from corridor B2 in the basement level of the Beehive. The door is labelled "National Crisis Management Centre Media Room". Journalists and other media staff with parliamentary accreditation can use their parliamentary swipe cards to enter the media room through that door.

Exercise Tangaroa: For those who are role-playing media as part of the Exercise please enter the parliamentary complex through the main entrance and security process. Go to the main reception and ask them to contact Exercise Control to advise you have arrived CDEMexercises@dpmc.govt.nz<mailto:CDEMexercises@dpmc.govt.nz> 021 532 039. You will then be escorted to the media entrance.

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