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Mr Alex Harris  
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Dear Mr Harris

Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), which Inland Revenue received on 26 June 2019. You requested:

- *Whether your agency has ever employed ZX Security Ltd, to provide training in social media or open source intelligence. For the avoidance of doubt, I am not interested in any work done by them on network security or penetration testing.*
- *If so, all information relating to, or provided by, ZX Security Ltd in relation to the above.*

A search of our records shows that Inland Revenue has not employed ZX Security Ltd to provide training in social media or open source intelligence.

The second part of your request is therefore refused under section 18(g) of the OIA, as the information requested is not held by Inland Revenue.

***Rights of review***

If you disagree with my decision on your OIA request, you can ask an Inland Revenue review officer to review my decision. To ask for an internal review, please email the Commissioner of Inland Revenue at: [CommissionersCorrespondence@ird.govt.nz](mailto:CommissionersCorrespondence@ird.govt.nz).

Alternatively, under section 28(3) of the OIA, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate my decision. You can contact the office of the Ombudsman by email at: [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Thank you for your request.

Yours sincerely



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