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Dear Deepika

**OIA request 19/20 230 Transfer of your request**

Thank you for your Official Information Act (Act) request received by the Department of Internal Affairs (Department) on 10 September 2019.

You requested –

- *A copy of the video recording of the citizenship ceremony held at the Auckland Town Hall on 09 September 2019.*

I have confirmed that the Department does not hold this as the citizenship ceremonies are run by the councils. I am therefore transferring your request as per section 14 (b)(i) of the Act; the information is not held by the Department but is believed by the person dealing with the request to be held by another department or Minister of the Crown or organisation, or by a local authority.

Your request has been transferred to the Auckland Council. They will respond directly to you.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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