

30 October 2019

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REF: OIA-5847

Dear Tom

Official Information Act 1982

I refer to your email of 23 September 2019 to the NZ Transport Agency requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

I would like to request a copy of all of the information as communicated between NZTA and Chris Bishop on the subject of the Melling Interchange project.

On 26 September 2019, the Transport Agency wrote to you and asked you to clarify the timeframe to which your request related. On 1 October 2019 you confirmed that your request covered the period 1 January 2017 to present.

The information that falls within the scope of your request is attached to this response as **Appendices A to F**.

Certain information has been withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act in order to protect the privacy of natural persons. With regard to the withheld information I do not consider that there are any other factors that render it desirable, in the public interest, to make that information available.

Under section 28 of the Act you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review and investigate this decision. The Office of the Ombudsman can be contacted by phone 0800 802 602, or online at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

Yours sincerely



Richard May
Senior Manager Government

DOCUMENT SCHEDULE

Reference	Description	Decision
Appendix A	Letter to Chris Bishop MP, dated 14 January 2019	Released in part. Some information withheld under s9(2)(a) of the Act
Appendix B	Letter to Chris Bishop MP, dated 16 April 2019	Released in part. Some information withheld under s9(2)(a) of the Act
Appendix C	Letter to John Milford, Chris Bishop MP, Ray Wallace and Wayne Guppy, dated 29 May 2019	Released in part. Some information withheld under s9(2)(a) of the Act
Appendix D	Official Information Act response to Chris Bishop MO, dated 23 May 2019	Released in part. Some information withheld under s9(2)(a) of the Act
Appendix E	Official Information Act response to Chris Bishop MP, dated 19 June 2019	Released in part. Some information withheld under s9(2)(a) of the Act
Appendix F	Official Information Act 1982 response to Chris Bishop MP, dated 9 August 2019	Released in part. Some information withheld under s9(2)(a) of the Act