



27 November 2019

Chris Johnston

By email: fyi-request-11357-12c9e3b1@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Chris

Official information request for further email searches related to scientists

I refer to your request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) dated 30 October 2019:

"I need a count from the email system (which VUW have shown that they can search) a completed table with the following counts:

- a) *3 Column Headers - each with the names of the authors mentioned in this OIA as follows: Dr Frank, Patrick Frank, Pat Frank*
- b) *11 Row headers: please search and count in the email system for the following combinations of keywords in addition to the author's name. So for example where "Climate" is the keyword then the search would be for: Climate + "Dr Frank". The keyword list that would initially be useful is: Stanford, Climate, Global Warming, CO2, IPCC, Greenhouse, Zero Carbon, Propagation, "Global Air Temperature", Frontiers, SLAC"*

"I need a count from the email system (which VUW have shown that they can search) a completed table with the following counts:

- a) *5 Column Headers - each with the names of the authors mentioned in this OIA as follows: Dr Connolly, Ronan Connolly, Michael Connolly, Christopher Monckton, Monckton*
- b) *10 Row headers - please search and count in the email system for the following combinations of keywords in addition to the author's name. So for example where "Climate" is the keyword then the search would be for: Climate + "Dr Connolly". The keyword list that would initially be useful is: Climate, Radiosonde, Global Warming, CO2, IPCC, Troposphere, Thermodynamic, Equilibrium, Greenhouse, Zero Carbon"*

The Act requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are therefore writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 5 December 2019.

This extension is necessary because consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

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 or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact me at oiarequests@vuw.ac.nz.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "GTawharu". The letters are cursive and connected.

Georgia Tawharu

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