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Ref: IR-01-20-1486

Dear Paul

Thank you for your email request under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA). Your request is listed below and was received by Police on 10 January 2020:

- *I would like to request in regards to Waitemata Police for the years 2016, 2017. 2018, 2019, requests 1,2,3 please provide stats per year, requests 4,5 provided as a single total.*
  1. *The number of complaints received whether from person external or internal including made to IPCA*
  2. *The number of complaints investigated by IPCA*
  3. *The number of complaints investigated by IPCA alleging breach of the NZ Bill of Rights*
  4. *The number of complaints investigated by IPCA that concluded misconduct*
  5. *The number of complaints investigated by IPCA that concluded serious misconduct*

In relation to request number 1 you are able to access the latest results using the below link.

https://www.police.govt.nz/about-us/about-new-zealand-police/police-professional-conduct/professional-conduct-statistics

The previous years are on the same website link but you will need to use the search result link and click on view all Professional Conduct Statistics which will take you through each quarter for the years you requested.

In relation to requests 2 through to 5 this is refused under section 18 (f) OIA, as the information requested cannot be made available without substantial collation or research.
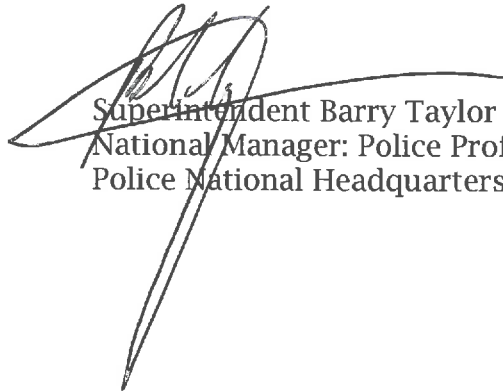
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The information regarding IPCA investigations cannot be answered without reviewing individual files. IPCA investigations are not recorded in a retrievable way and would take some significant time to collate and review the information contained in all files.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the OIA, to ask the Ombudsman to review this response, if you are not satisfied with the way I have responded to your request.

Yours sincerely

Superintendent Barry Taylor
National Manager: Police Professional Conduct
Police National Headquarters