

11 August 2020

Amy S Van Wey Lovatt

REF: IR-01-20-19115

Dear Amy,

I refer to your Official Information Act (OIA) request dated 1 July 2020 in which you requested the following:

Request 1:

I respectfully request the total number of Trespass Notices issued to members of the public for each DHB, of which the NZ Police were given a copy between 1 June 2015 and 1 June 2020.

Request 2:

I respectfully request the total number of Trespass Notices issued to members of the public for each DHB, of which the NZ Police were given a copy between 1 June 2015 and 1 June 2020, and in which the individual has been banned from access to the DHB with the only exception being Emergency Services (e.g., no exception listed for attending scheduled medical visits, visiting hospitalized whanau, etc).

Request 3:

I respectfully request the total number of Trespass Notices issued to members of the public for each DHB, of which the NZ Police were given a copy between 1 June 2015 and 1 June 2020, and in which there had been no reason given to the individual prior to the issuance of the Trespass Notice or where there was no reference to the reason provided on the Trespass Notice.

Police do not produce statistics on 'Trespass Notices issued to members of the public by DHB'. Therefore, your request is refused under section 18(g) of the OIA as the information is not held.

I regret that on this occasion it has not been possible to provide the information you have requested.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision if you are not satisfied with Police's response to your request.

Yours sincerely

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