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Official Information Request No. 9000127251 (Please quote this in any correspondence)

Ms Grace Haden

By email: fyi-request-1374-214b83df@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Ms Haden

**Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987** 

Re: Meetings chaired by the Mayor

I refer to your email, which we received on 19 December 2013, requesting information about Meetings chaired by the Mayor.

The Mayor has been the chair of the Governing Body, CEO Review sub-committee, CCO Strategy and Review sub-committee and the Auckland Future Vision Committee (until 6th March 2012 when this committee became the Auckland Plan Committee chaired by the Deputy Mayor).

The statistics for the Mayor's attendance as chairperson at each of these committees is provided as an attachment. In summary, there were a total of 113 meetings which the Mayor would chair over the last council term, of these the Mayor was absent from 13 largely due to being engaged on other council business.

Please note, these attendance figures may not fully reflect the numerous other demands on the Mayor in respect of performing his civic responsibilities and other council duties on behalf of Auckland or other absences such as sickness that made him unable to attend some formal meetings.

I also wish to apologise for the delay in getting this response to you and draw your attention to your right of complaint to the Office of the Ombudsmen regarding this delay.

If you have any further queries please contact me on 09 301 0101, quoting Official Information Request No. 9000127251.

Yours sincerely

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