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By email: fyi-request-14482-f16e9ba9@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Mike

Information Request – Radio Channels

I refer to your official information request dated 19 January 2021 asking for the following information:

“Could you provide a list of radio channels you have for truck communications with fire communications centres eg. Hamilton fire, Hawks bay fire etc and which channels are linked together for what regions. No frequencies required.”

On 28 January 2021, you further clarified your request to:

“Channel names are only required and which are linked together. No sensitive information such as frequencies of radio channels or police shared channels are required. A list of fire and emergency exclusive channels such as a channel plan would be acceptable.”

In accordance with the provisions of the Official Information Act 1982, below is the information you requested.

For the **Northern Communications Centre** our fire exclusive channels are:

- Fire Auck 1
- Fire Auck 3
- Fire Auck 4
- Fire Auck 10
- Fire Hamilton
- Fire BOP
- Fire Northland

For the **Central Communications Centre** our fire exclusive channels are:

- Fire Wellington
- Fire Palmerston
- Fire Taranaki
- Fire Hawkesbay

For the **Southern Communications Centre** our fire exclusive channels are:

- Fire Nelson
- Fire Christchurch
- Timaru2
- Fire Dunedin
- Fire Invercargill

In respect of your request regarding linked channels, it is not possible to provide such a list as they can change at any time due to workload demand and which Communications Centres are accessing the channels.

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.

Yours sincerely



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