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Ref: H202105028

Dear M.R.M

Transfer of your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) on 23 April 2021 for:

"Please can you provide me with the following Official Information:-

- 1. Are there going to be job losses across the 20 DHB's and if so what number of DHB employees will likely lose their jobs?
- 2. Will the appointees for the new agency positions be selected from the employees currently filling positions at the 20 DHB's, and if not, why not?
- 3. Will any of the 20 DHB's remain 'as is' but be taken in under the umbrella of the new agency? If so how many, and, which ones exactly, will this apply to?"

The questions you have asked are future focused and information in answer to these questions has not been created. As such, your request has been refused under section 18(e) of the Act as the information does not yet exist.

The latest information about the Health and Disability Sector Review is available on the website of the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet at: https://dpmc.govt.nz/our-business-units/transition-unit.

Under section 28(3) of the Act you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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