



SPORT
NEW ZEALAND
IHI AOTEAROA

13 August 2021

K Burnside

By email: fyi-request-15711-b79c613e@requests.fyi.org.nz

Tēnā koe K Burnside

Official Information Act Request – correspondence relating to the development of the draft Guiding Principles of Transgender Players in Sport

This letter responds to your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request received on 8 June 2021. In your request you asked for the following:

“From 1 November 2020 – 28 February 2021 all:

- *emails (internal and external)*
- *meet minutes or meeting notes*
- *texts or other forms of electronic messages*

Regarding the development and consultation of Sport NZ's Draft Guiding Principles for the Participation of Transgender Players in Sports.

Attached is a response to your request. Please note that some information has been withheld under the following sections of the Official Information Act 1982:

- 9(2)(a) to protect the privacy of individuals;
- 9(2)(b)(ii) to protect information where making it available would be likely unreasonably to prejudice the commercial position of the person who supplied or who is the subject of the information;
- 9(2)(ba)(ii) to protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence where the making available of the information would be likely otherwise to damage the public interest; and
- 9(2)(f)(iv) to maintain the constitutional conventions for the time being which protect the confidentiality of advice tendered by Ministers of the Crown or officials.

I am satisfied that the withholding of the above information is not outweighed by any other circumstances that render it desirable, in the public interest, to make the information available.

P +64 4 472 8058 Level 1, Harbour City Centre, 29 Brandon Street, Wellington 6011

PO Box 2251 Wellington 6140, New Zealand

sportnz.org.nz

New Zealand Government

Please note that if you are not satisfied with this response you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act 1982.

Ngā mihi

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a series of fluid, connected strokes that form the name 'Nicki Ablitt'.

Nicki Ablitt
Group Policy Manager
Sport NZ Ihi Aotearoa