

# Hon Meka Whaitiri

MP for Ikaroa-Rāwhiti

Minister of Customs

Minister for Veterans

Associate Minister of Agriculture (Animal Welfare)

Associate Minister of Statistics



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Tēnā koe Mirjam

Thank you for your request received on 9 June 2021 for information relating to correspondence between Minister Whaitiri and the New Zealand Greyhound Racing Association. Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA).

You requested the following:

- Correspondence (emails or letters) between yourself, Associate Minister of Agriculture (Animal Welfare) Meka Whaitiri, and the New Zealand Greyhound Racing Association from your appointment in 2020 to June 2021.

The information pertaining to your request is released to you in the attached Appendix One.

I trust the information provided is of assistance. You are advised of your right to raise any concerns with the Office of the Ombudsman. You can contact the Ombudsman at [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Meka Whaitiri'.

Hon Meka Whaitiri

**Associate Minister of Agriculture (Animal Welfare)**