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By email: fyi-request-16340-2fe9023a@requests.fyi.org.nz
Ref: H202110513

Tēnā koe Baron

Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) on 9 August 2021 for:

“Information on the isolation of SARS-CoV2 virus taken directly from a diseased patient where the patients sample was not first combined with any other source of genetic material.”

Information on your request has been previously answered by the Ministry of Health and has been published on the FYI website which can be accessed here:

<https://fyi.org.nz/request/14170/response/53128/attach/4/H202008345%20Response.pdf>.

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.

Nāku noa, nā



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