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Tēnā koe Richard

Thank you for your request, received on 4 November 2021, for the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

- *copies of all audits, reviews and investigations the TEC has undertaken and received in the last three months (since August 2021).*

On 22 November 2021 we extended your request to 17 December 2021 as the consultations necessary to make a decision on your request were such that a proper response could not reasonably be made within the original time limit.

I am releasing the information referenced in the attached table.

In accordance with the Act, I am withholding some information in the released documents. Redactions are clearly marked in the documents, with the following reasons:

- personal contact details of officials, under section 9(2)(a) – to protect the privacy of natural persons, including deceased people,
- commercially sensitive information, under section 9(2)(b)(ii) – to protect the commercial position of the person who supplied the information, or who is the subject of the information,
- free and frank advice, under section 9(2)(g)(i) – the free and frank expression of opinions by or between or to Ministers of the Crown or officers and employees of any public service agency in the course of their duty.

I am satisfied, in terms of section 9(1) of the Act, that the need to withhold the information referred to above is not outweighed by other considerations that render it desirable, in the public interest, to make the information available.

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.



Please note that, consistent with the Act, we may publish our responses to information requests on our website in the interests of transparency and accountability, and to improve access to official information. All published responses have personal information removed.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Tim Fowler', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Tim Fowler
Chief Executive
Tertiary Education Commission

Information released under the Official Information Act (1982)

Item No	Date	Document Type	Title	Release
1	6/8/2021	Audit report	School of Business Limited TA Exercise Academy – Final Audit Report	Release with redactions: s9(2)(a); s9(2)(b)(ii); s9(2)(g)(i)
2	8/9/2021	Audit report	International Aviation Academy of NZ Limited – Final Audit Report	Release with redactions: s9(2)(a); s9(2)(b)(ii)
3	30/9/2021	Audit report	Hillary Outdoors Educations Centres - Final Audit Report	Release with redactions: s9(2)(a); s9(2)(b)(ii)
4	2021 2022	Audit report	Taranaki Outdoor Pursuits and Educational Centre – Final Audit report	Release with redactions: s9(2)(a); s9(2)(b)(ii)
5	2021 2022	Audit report	Whitecliffe - Final Audit Report	Release with redactions: s9(2)(a); s9(2)(b)(ii)