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Dear James

I refer to your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request dated 21 December 2021 for further information about infringements for expired warrants of fitness and vehicle licences.

You requested:

1. I would now like to request a breakdown of the 13,050 infringement notices by day (15 September to 30 November 2021)

Please find included a spreadsheet breaking down the infringement notices by date.

To capture the additional information you requested, the data needed to be re-extracted from our database. Since the response to your first request, new information has been made available and the total number of infringement offence notices recorded has increased to 13.520.

You also expressed an interest in the selection of 21 July as the cut-off date. It is important to note that this decision was made by the Minister of Transport. I contacted Te Manatū Waka Ministry of Transport on your behalf, and was advised the following

The date of 21 July 2021 was chosen as this was four weeks prior to Aotearoa moving to Alert Level 4. This ensured that people who had recently expired transport documents were not unfairly affected when they could not renew them.

It should be noted that a further extension was approved by Cabinet extending expired driver licences, licence endorsements and identification cards to 31 May 2022, as licensing agents did not have the capacity to renew all the licences that expired between 21 July 2021 and 30 November 2021.

I trust this information is satisfactory in answering your request.

Yours sincerely

Superintendent Steve Greally

Director: National Road Policing Centre

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