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Tēnā koe,

Official information request

Thank you for your Official Information Act 2020 (OIA) request of 25 November in which you ask for any report compiled or contributed to by an Intelligence Analyst (or similar role) over the period 1 January 2020 to 25 November 2021 that includes the term "Critical Race Theory".

The New Zealand Security Intelligence Service does not hold any report compiled by an Intelligence Analyst (or similar) including the term Critical Race Theory. As such, I must refuse your request under section 18(e) of the OIA, as the information you have requested does not exist.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact information@gcsb.govt.nz or oia.privacy@nzsis.govt.nz.

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 <u>www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</u> or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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