

28 July 2014

Dear Talor Wikohika Fyi-request-1796-fb47dabe@requests.fyi.org.nz

I acknowledge receipt of your official information request dated 8 July 2014 to the Ministry of Education which was transferred to Land Information New Zealand (LINZ) on 15 July 2014.

You asked for information on the following:

- All information regarding a school in Tauranga/Taupo, which was land held for use for Maori Schools and State Primary Schools pursuant under the Public Works Act 1928;
- Who the prior owners were of the school prior to the acquisition to the Crown and any/all information held by yourselves regarding this property;
- The Certificate of Title Reference 454453 and S466207 (Prior Reference).

I note you have described the land in question as being:

- Street address: 1/383 State Highway 1, Tauranga Taupo; and
- Legal description being Lot 1 Deposited Plan 372602.

While your request is for information concerning the prior owners of the site you have also asked for "all information regarding a school in Tauranga/Taupo, which was land held for use for Maori Schools and State Primary Schools pursuant under the Public Works Act 1928" and "any/all information held by yourselves regarding this property". As your request is quite general, it potentially covers a large amount of information that the Official Information Act 1982 permits me to charge for. Therefore, I am inviting you to refine your request for "all information" so that it covers information you are specifically interested in.

Kerry McPhail, Advisor Clearances, will be responsible for processing your request, and can be contacted on 04 460 2722 or kmcphail@linz.govt.nz if you have any queries in relation to it.

You can expect a decision on your request by 13 August 2014 which will be no later than 20 working days after the date LINZ received your request from the Ministry of Education.

Yours sincerely

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