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Dear Chuck

Official Information Request Our Ref: OIA 2022-0006

I refer to your official information request which was partially transferred from the Ministry of Health to Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission on 25 January 2022, where you asked the following information in relation to Dr Ashley Bloomfield:

"Please supply any and all perceived or actual conflicts of interest that you may have in completing an effective pandemic response".

Information being released

The Public Service Commissioner is responsible for the appointment of Public Service Chief Executives. In 2018, Dr Ashley Bloomfield was appointed to the position of Director-General of Health and Chief Executive, Ministry of Health.

Please find enclosed a copy of the declaration of interest completed by Dr Ashley Bloomfield, when he was appointed to the role of Director-General of Health and Chief Executive, Ministry of Health.

Item	Date	Document Description	Decision
1	2 June 2018	Declaration of interest – Dr Ashley Bloomfield, Director- General of Health and Chief Executive, Ministry of Health	Released in full

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact <u>Ministerial.Services@publicservice.govt.nz</u>.

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.

Please note that we intend to publish this letter (with your personal details removed) and enclosed documents on the Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission's website.

Yours sincerely

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