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Tēnā koe Josie

### **Response to your request for official information**

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) to the Ministry of Health (the Ministry) on 8 March 2022 for:

*“all communications with Waitemata District Health Board, Government and other agencies that relates to the termination of employment of staff who would not comply with the covid 19 vaccine mandate order.*

*Please also provide any information relating to advice received to justify and support the termination of staff roles.*

*Please include all emails, other written correspondence and any minutes of meetings relating to this matter”.*

The Ministry does not hold any information within scope of your request; therefore, your request is refused under section 18(e) of the Act. The Ministry sincerely apologises for the delay in communicating a decision on your request.

Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz) or by calling 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā



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