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By email: [fyi-request-19623-ceb880ef@requests.fyi.org.nz](mailto:fyi-request-19623-ceb880ef@requests.fyi.org.nz)

Dear Alan

**Information Request – Ashburton Fire Appliance Operational Review**

I refer to your official information request dated 9 June 2022 asking for the revised Operational Review of the Ashburton Appliance incident.

The Ashburton Fire Appliance Operational Review is publicly available on our website [here](#).

Please note, a small amount information is withheld to protect the privacy on individuals under section 9(2)(a) of the Official Information Act 1982. We do not consider that there is a public interest in the release of the information which outweighs withholding it.

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 [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sid Wellik', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Sid Wellik

Acting Deputy Chief Executive, Office of the Chief Executive.

