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Dear Adam

Thank you for your email of 16 September 2022 requesting the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Under the Official Information Act, I would like to request the full list of Business Industry Classification (BIC) codes (for all companies) to acquire the following information.

- a) BIC Industry
- b) BIC Sector
- c) BIC Category
- d) BIC Code
- e) BIC Descriptor
- f) Company Status e.g. Removed / Registered / Liquidation
- g) Company Legal Name and/or Partnership
- h) Company Registration Number (7-Digits)
- i) NZBN
- j) Director/s and/or Owner/s of the business
- k) Trading Name
- l) Contact Details
 - a. Email
 - b. Phone
- m) Full Address Details (Unit and Street Number, Street Name, Suburb, City, Post Code) a. Physical Location b. Postal Address

Please find attached the requested information.

The caveats and limitations of the data are set out below.

1. Only companies that have voluntarily provided their Business Industry Classification (BIC) codes are included in the list.
2. Only information which is publicly available on the companies register and the New Zealand Business Number Register is included.
3. Personal information, such as telephone numbers and email addresses, unless publicly available on the NZBN tab on the company's summary page on the companies register has been withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act to protect the privacy of natural persons.

In terms of section 9(1) of the Act, I am satisfied that, in the circumstances, the withholding of this information is not outweighed by other considerations that render it desirable to make the information available in the public interest.

In future, please submit similar information requests through the Companies Office's Data Services page at <https://www.companiesoffice.govt.nz/data-services/request-data/>.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of my decision to withhold information relating to this request, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. The relevant details can be found at: www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Bolen Ng', written over a faint, illegible printed name.

Bolen Ng
National Manager, Business Registries