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Dear I Brown

Request for information

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request of 27 September, in which you asked for information regarding costs imposed under the Criminal Procedure Act 2011. In particular you have asked the following questions:

- "Since the commencement date of the Criminal Procedure Act 2011:*
- 1. How many costs orders have been made against the New Zealand Police under s364 of the CPA 2011 in total?*
 - 2. How many costs orders have been made against the New Zealand Police under s364 of the CPA 2011 in each calendar year since the commencement of the legislation? Please list by year.*
 - 3. Of any costs orders made against the New Zealand Police, how many have been made against, respectively:*
 - c. (sp) Police Prosecution Service staff, whether counsel or sworn;*
 - d. Officers in Charge of a case; or*
 - e. The New Zealand Police in general*
 - 5. (sp) How many costs orders specifically related to a failure to provide disclosure, whether relating to failure to provide disclosure in a timely fashion or for non-disclosure of an item or items? Please provide this information broken down into numbers of orders per calendar year.*
 - 6. What is the largest, the smallest, the mean, and the average costs award made against the New Zealand Police under s364 CPA 2011, both in total and in each calendar year?*
 - 7. Please give originating Court for each costs order made against the New Zealand Police, broken down on into numbers of orders per Court per calendar year."*

Police has considered the request and is unable to provide the requested information as it cannot be made available without substantial collation or research. Accordingly, the request is refused pursuant to s18(f) of the OIA.

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 or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely



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