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Dear Sarah,

OIA 22-23-66: GM Investment travel - further information

Thank you for your email of 7 June to New Zealand Trade and Enterprise (NZTE), making a request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). You requested the following information:

- please confirm Dylan Lawrence did not travel in January 2021 - this seems an anomaly?
- how much money has been spent on flights for Dylan Lawrence since January 2021?
- how many days has Dylan Lawrence spent in Queenstown since January 2021?
- has Dylan Lawrence taken as annual leave during work trips?
- if so, how many days leave has he taken (as a proportion of overall days)

Answers to your questions are as follows:

Please confirm Dylan Lawrence did not travel in January 2021- this seems an anomaly?

Dylan Lawrence travelled twice in January 2021. Please refer to Table One for his travel in January 2021.

Table One: Travel January 2021

Departure Date	Return Date	Itinerary Summary	Itinerary Summary Names	Reason for Travel
28/01/2021	29/01/2021	AKL-WLG-AKL	Auckland - Wellington - Auckland	NZTE Lead Team Meeting
19/01/2021	23/01/2021	AKL-ZQN-AKL	Auckland - Queenstown - Auckland	HNWI Event

How much money has been spent on flights for Dylan Lawrence since January 2021?

The total cost of flights that Dylan Lawrence has taken in his role as General Manager of Investment since January 2021 (to 7 June 2023) is \$55,564.60.

How many days has Dylan Lawrence spent in Queenstown since January 2021?

Dylan Lawrence has spent 20 days in Queenstown since January 2021 (to 7 June 2023) in his role as General Manager of Investment.

Has Dylan Lawrence taken as annual leave during work trips? If so, how many days leave has he taken (as a proportion of overall days)

Details of personal annual leave taken are private and therefore NZTE are refusing this part of the request under section s(9)(2)(a) of the Official Information Act (to protect the privacy of natural persons).

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Act to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at: www.ombudsman.parliament.govt.nz or freephone: 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Melissa Trochon', written in a cursive style.

Melissa Trochon
Director – Board & Ministerial