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Tēnā koe CT

I refer to your information request dated 25 July 2023 made under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). You have requested mark and grade distributions for the Semester 1 2023 ANAT241, MICR221 and PHSL 231 papers offered by the University of Otago.

Subject to the following comments, please see attached the information you have requested.

- we note that the grade and mark distribution for the Semester 1 2023 ANAT241 paper has not been finalised yet as there may be special examinations outstanding and the grades for some students have not been finalised. We are not comfortable releasing the data before all grades have been confirmed – as this may affect students' wellbeing and disrupt students' performance in special examinations. We are happy to grant your request but will release the grade and mark distributions for these papers once all student results have been confirmed – we anticipate that these will be finalised in the coming weeks.
- in the attached grade and mark distributions, we note that students who withdrew from the papers or received an Aegrotat Pass (not a grade or mark) are excluded from the data.

I trust that this information will be helpful. We will be back in touch once the mark and grade distribution for the Semester 1 2023 ANAT241 paper has been confirmed and is available.

If you are not satisfied with our response to your information request, section 28(3) of the Act provides you with the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate and review this response. However, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss any concerns with you first.

Yours sincerely

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