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Tēnā koe T Murray

Request for information: Meetings with Hon David Seymour

Thank you for your request dated 1 December 2023 under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) for information. You requested:

I would like to request the following information:

- *The date, time and location of your initial meeting with the new Minister for your department;*
- *A list of attendees at this meeting*
- *The cost of any flights and accommodation for staff who reside outside of wellington to attend this meeting*
- *Any documentation provided at the meeting*
- *All notes (including handwritten notes) taken at the meeting by department staff;*
- *A copy of any emails sent by department attendees or all staff communications regarding the meeting with the new Minister.*

As of the date of your request, Pharmac did not hold any information in the scope of your request. As a result, we are declining your request for information under section 18(e), no information held.

I can, however, advise that a meeting between the Pharmac Acting Board Chair and Hon David Seymour is intended for 18 December, 2023, subject to the Minister receiving his Ministerial Warrant. You are invited to resubmit a follow-up request for further details.

Please note, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman about our response to your OIA, under section 28(3) of the OIA. Details of [how to make a complaint](#) are on the Ombudsman's website.

To make information more freely available, we publish selected OIA responses (excluding personal details) on our website. Please get in touch with us if you have any questions about this.

Nāku noa, nā



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