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## Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request – Follow up questions to previous OIA response

Dear T Murray

This letter responds to your OIA request received by Sport New Zealand (Sport NZ) on 21 December 2024 with follow up questions to previous OIA responses provided to you. For ease of response, each question will be answered in turn.

*In reference to the response to my request:*

<https://aus01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Ffyi.org.nz%2Frequest%2F24921-emails-on-oia%23incoming-94696&data=05%7C02%7Cpolicy%40sportnz.org.nz%7Cbc08fb1c26be487913a208dc0212e9a7%7C9d5ca952e4a543e6b17cc01d313ad135%7C0%7C0%7C638387528231505797%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljoImC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzliLCJBTiI6Ij1haWwiLCJXVCi6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=GFGEp4tbjNrRtOtzZtv4FKxkX5JGgSNmrrnBUAQ9%2BDrU%3D&reserved=0> on page 21 of the appendix. I would like to understand the following point: "NOTE the consequences of the Gender Diversity". Could you please provide an explanation of this noted item from the minutes provided in the emails.

The final part of the sentence you are referring to appears to be missing in the document provided to you on 19 December 2023. The sentence should have read: **Note** the consequences of the Gender Diversity Policy and **Agree** that NZR should receive this new investment when compliant.

This is in reference to our [National Policy for Gender Equity in Governance](#). The Board of each qualifying partner must have at least 40% as self-identifying women ("the requirement").

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[JGqSNmrnBUAQ9%2BDrU%3D&reserved=0](#) on page 21 of the appendix. I would like to understand the following point: "NOTE the consequences of the Gender Diversity". Could you please provide an explanation of this noted item from the minutes provided in the emails.

We have reconsidered the redactions made on pages 50 to 54 in our initial response to you on 28 November 2023. The information was withheld under commercial sensitivity, but upon reflection it was noted that some of that information is already publicly available on the High Performance Sport New Zealand website ([HPSNZ announces \\$131 million direct investment in sports - HPSNZ](#)). After further consultation, we have decided that the information that was not already publicly available is not sensitive and can be released in full. Please find the unredacted version of those pages attached as Appendix One.

Please note that if you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the OIA. Information about how to contact the Ombudsman is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or you can phone 0800 802 602.

Kind regards,



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