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From: Harriett Adams < Harriett.Adams@parliament.govt.nz>

**Sent:** Tuesday, 7 May 2024 10:09 am **To:** 9(2)(a) 9(2)(a)

**Cc:** 9(2)(a)

**Subject:** MINISTERIAL OIAPG113 - Official Information request - Creative NZ Appointment

Hiya,

I have one email to Jannita with the letter appointing her that would be in scope. I think the rest of this would sit with you...?

Ngā mihi

### Harriett Adams

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From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz> On Behalf Of Paul Goldsmith (MIN)

Sent: Tuesday, May 7, 2024 10:07 AM

To: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz>; Francesca Bradley < Francesca. Bradley@parliament.govt.nz> Subject: FW: QIAPG113 - Official Information request - Creative NZ Appointment

Hiya,

Not sure who this one is for 😊

----Original Message-----From: Hugh J Coon <fyi-request-26651-6cc01067@requests.fyi.org.nz> Sent: Monday, May 6, 2024 11:28 PM To: Paul Goldsmith (MIN) < P.Goldsmith@ministers.govt.nz> Subject: OIAPG113 - Official Information request - Creative NZ Appointment Dear Paul Goldsmith, I am requesting any and all correspondence you had on the appointment of Janitta Pilisi to Creative NZ board /any other appointment. Any correspondence between you and her, or about her with other MPs, National Party officials and bureaucrats etc,. This includes any judgement in relation to her role as a National Party Director. Sincerely Hugh J Coon This is an Official Information request made via the FYI website. Please use this email address for all replies to this request: fyi-request-26651-6cc01067@requests.fyi.org.nz Is p.goldsmith@ministers.govt.nz the wrong address for Official Information requests to Paul Goldsmith? If so, please contact us using this form: https://urldefense.com/v3/ https://fyi.org.nz/change\_request/new?body=paul\_goldsmith ;!!Asq5-8xVch3Reg!v2DS49T5XuL03dKUYVtfSNybiuewTtgFaoV\_gQVEDRMc5-SN1BgIFSG4fSicgzm5ZcxWjsRT5fNMHO9OoRKx7sb8Q3HhFHqQaGRYIFjxdDTHf4Y\$ Disclaimer: This message and any reply that you make will be published on the internet. Our privacy and copyright policies: https://urldefense.com/v3/\_\_https://fyi.org.nz/help/officers\_\_;!!Asq5-8xVch3Reg!v2DS49T5XuL03dKUYVtfSNybiuewTtgFaoV gQVEDRMc5-SN1BgIFSG4fSicqzm5ZcxWjsRT5fNMHO9OoRKx7sb8Q3HhFHqQaGRYIFjx HbnwPU\$ If you find this service useful as an Official Information officer, please ask your web manager to link to us from your organisation's OIA or LGOIMA page.

From: Harriett Adams < Harriett.Adams@parliament.govt.nz>

**Sent:** Thursday, 16 May 2024 4:51 pm **To:** Ministerial and OIA Enquiries; OIA

Cc: Keegan Platten

Subject: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

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Hugh J Coon

From: India Loveday < India.Loveday@mch.govt.nz >

**Sent:** Friday, 17 May 2024 10:31 am **To:** Keegan Platten; Harriett Adams

Cc: OIA

Subject: RE: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Just confirming I will lead this, 30th May due date is noted, thanks both.

Cheers, India

From: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz >

Sent: Friday, May 17, 2024 8:25 AM

To: Keegan Platten < Keegan.Platten@mch.govt.nz>; OIA < oia@mch.govt.nz>; India Loveday

<India.Loveday@mch.govt.nz>

Subject: Re: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Great, that makes sense! Thank you:)

Harriett

From: Keegan Platten < Keegan. Platten@mch.govt.nz >

Sent: Friday, May 17, 2024 8:16:12 AM

To: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz >; OIA < oia@mch.govt.nz >; India Loveday

<India.Loveday@mch.govt.nz>

Subject: RE: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Short answer is we will do our side and then give you our side to combine with yours. We will draft a letter with a gap for you to add any political bits your office might want (but don't draft that bit!).

@India - Can you please pick this up?

Cheers Keegan

From: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz >

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From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

**Sent:** Tuesday, 28 May 2024 12:14 pm

To: Harriett Adams

**Subject:** FW: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Nothing from Minister's emails

From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2024 12:10 PM

To: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Subject: RE: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Same with this one – noting the search function on emails is slightly un reliable. But not much I can do about that.

From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2024 12:04 PM

To: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Subject: FW: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Hi 9(2)(a) – another OIA hunt please – all mention of Janitta Pilisi in the Minister's emails please. Thanks so much.

From: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.n2>

Sent: Friday, May 17, 2024 11:41 AM

To: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>; 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Subject: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Hiya,

The below OIA was received by our office. MCH will be drafting the response to the portion highlighted in yellow. The portion highlighted in blue would fall into the political side of things, and will be for you to complete.

The response provided by MCH will have a portion for the office to complete re correspondence between the Minister and Janita, or about her with other MPs et, National Party Officials or bureaucrats.

Happy to discuss.

Ngā mihi



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From: Harriett Adams < Harriett.Adams@parliament.govt.nz>

**Sent:** Thursday, 30 May 2024 8:56 am

To: 9(2)(a)

**Subject:** RE: OIA MATERIAL - DRAFT OIA RESPONSE FOR REVIEW - OIAPG113 Official

information request CNZ appointment

**Attachments:** Creative New Zealand\_Appointments; 240307 Letter from Hon Paul Goldsmith to Caren

Rangi.pdf; RE: Letter to Minister Goldsmith

# Ngā mihi



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From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 29, 2024 5:01 PM

To: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz >

Subject: RE: OIA MATERIAL - DRAFT OIA RESPONSE FOR REVIEW - OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ

appointment

Hi Harriett,

Could you please send me copies of the following emails? Will check if they are in scope of the below.

- Email Elizabeth Beale to Harriett Adams Creative New Zealand Appointments 25 March 2024
- Email Harriett Adams to Chair (Creative NZ) RE: Letter to Minister Goldsmith 7 March 2024 (with attachment of Goldsmith letter)

Thank you !

9(2)(a)

From: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz >

Sent: Wednesday, May 29, 2024 4:43 PM

To: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>; 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz

Cc: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Subject: OIA MATERIAL - DRAFT OIA RESPONSE FOR REVIEW - OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ appointment

Hi 9(2)(a)

Attached is the email that's in scope ©



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@parliament.govt.nz>

Subject: DUE 4PM THURSDAY 30 MAY DRAFT OIA RESPONSE FOR REVIEW - OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ

appointment

Hiya,

Please see attached the response for the CNZ Appointment OIA for Hugh J Coon.

There is a space in the response letter for the Office to include any materials found that are on the political side of the fence. I don't believe any of you have found any material in scope, so this may be a s18(g) info not held.

I have also sent a copy of this information (attached) to CNZ for their information, noting there may be changes prior to release.

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Sent: Monday, May 6, 2024 11:28 PM

To: Paul Goldsmith (MIN) < P.Goldsmith@ministers.govt.nz >

Subject: OIAPG113 - Official Information request - Creative NZ Appointment

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From: Harriett Adams < Harriett.Adams@parliament.govt.nz>

**Sent:** Friday, 31 May 2024 9:48 am

**To:** 9(2)(a)

Subject: RE: DUE 4PM THURSDAY 30 MAY - DRAFT OIA RESPONSE FOR REVIEW - OIAPG113

Official information request CNZ appointment

**Attachments:** 3. BR23 500 Arts Council of New Zealand Toi Aotearoa - appointments overview from

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Yes MCH agree, both paras 4 and 21 require redaction.

Please find attached updated BR23/500 (marked up and redacted) as well as an updated response letter.

Ngā mihi



### **Harriett Adams**

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From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 11:08 AM

**To:** Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz >

Subject: RE: DUE 4PM THURSDAY 30 MAY - DRAFT OIA RESPONSE FOR REVIEW - OIAPG113 Official information request

CNZ appointment

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Thank you.

9(2)(a)

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Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2024 3:52 PM

To: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>; 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Cc: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Subject: DUE 4PM THURSDAY 30 MAY - DRAFT OIA RESPONSE FOR REVIEW - OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ

appointment

Hiya,

Please see attached the response for the CNZ Appointment OIA for Hugh J Coon.

There is a space in the response letter for the Office to include any materials found that are on the political side of the fence. I don't believe any of you have found any material in scope, so this may be a \$18(g) info not held.

I have also sent a copy of this information (attached) to CNZ for their information, noting there may be changes prior to release.

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Sincerely

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From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz> Sent: Friday, 31 May 2024 4:20 pm To: Harriett Adams; Paul Goldsmith (MIN); 9(2)(a) RE: [EXTENSION OF OIA]: OIAPG113 - Official Information request - Creative NZ Subject: Appointment Thanks Harriett. I'd like to change it slightly so we explicitly mention the legislative basis for the extension. 9(2)(a) - could we please send the following -Dear Hugh, I refer to your official information requested dated 7 May 2024 for any and all correspondence Minister Goldsmith had on the appointment of Janitta Pilisi to Creative NZ board. A response to your request is being prepared. However, due to the external consultation required, a response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. Accordingly, I am extending the time limit for response to this request under section 15A(1)(b) of the Act by 20 working days to 28 June 2024. 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. Thank you! Kind regards, 9(2)(a) ----Original Message-----From: Harriett Adams < Harriett Adams@parliament.govt.nz > Sent: Friday, May 31, 2024 2:52 PM To: Paul Goldsmith (MIN) < P.Goldsmith@ministers.govt.nz>; 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>; parliament.govt.nz> Subject: [EXTENSION OF OIA]: OIAPG113 - Official Information request - Creative NZ Appointment Hiya, 9(2)(a) are you happy with the below extension email? (a) is happy with it, would you be able to send it out?

Dear Hugh,

I refer to your official information requested dated 7 May 2024 for any and all correspondence Minister Goldsmith had on the appointment of Janitta Pilisi to Creative NZ board.

The OIA requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit, and we are therefore writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 28 June 2024.

This extension is necessary because the consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response cannot be reasonably made within the original time limit.

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Ngā mihi

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Sent: Tuesday, May 7, 2024 10:07 AM

To: Harriett Adams < Harriett.Adams@parliament.govt.nz >; Francesca Bradley < Francesca.Bradley@parliament.govt.nz >

Subject: FW: OIAPG113 - Official Information request - Creative NZ Appointment
Hiya,
Not sure who this one is for 😊
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From: Ministerial and OIA Enquiries < Ministerial. Enquiries@mch.govt.nz>

Sent: Tuesday, 4 June 2024 3:22 pm

To: Harriett Adams

**Cc:** Jamie Carter; Ministerial and OIA Enquiries

Subject: RE: Draft Response: COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 Official information request CNZ

appointment

Kia ora Harrie,

I'm checking on the below OIA, can I confirm that before this one goes out you will flick us an email so we can pass on the OIA as a no surprises – FYI to the following 3 CNZ Board (and ex-board) members:

- Jannita Pilisi
- Hilary Poole
- Caren Rangi
- Michael Prentice

Particularly considering the response will go online at the FYI.org.nz website.

Thank you as always, India

**From:** Ministerial and OIA Enquiries **Sent:** Thursday, May 30, 2024 5:10 PM

To: Harriett Adams < Harriett. Adams@parliament.govt.nz>

Cc: Ministerial and OIA Enquiries < Ministerial. Enquiries @mch.govt.nz>

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Cheers, India

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Please note: We have provided a space in this response letter for response by the Office to the first half of this OIA (Blue highlighted below):

# **Documents for review**

- Hugh J Coon, Response Letter
- 1/BR24 089 Briefing CNZ appts 2024 APH paper for Pasifika member and Deputy Chair appts PDF
- 2. AM24 079 Aide Memoire CNZ appts 2024 Minister meeting with Deputy Chair (Michael Prentice) PDF

- 3. BR23 500 Arts Council of New Zealand Toi Aotearoa appointments overview from upcoming Chair vacancy appendices PDF
- 4. MOIA24 079 CNZ Board Member Appointment Combined ACH Reports

# **Reviewed by:**

- Jamie Carter (Sector Performance SME)
- Sadie Miles (Comms SME)
- Kim Rex (Sector Performance Manager)
- Emily Fabling (DCE Policy)

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# India Loveday (she/they)

Pou Tohu Matua | Senior Adviser Manatū Taonga Ministry for Culture & Heritage

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From: 9(2)(a) @parliament.govt.nz>

Sent: Wednesday, 5 June 2024 3:22 pm

To: Harriett Adams

**Subject:** OIAPG113 - CNZ Appointment Pilisi - Response

**Attachments:** Letter from Hon Paul Goldsmith; 240426 Letter of appointment from Hon Paul

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Hi Harriet,

Pulling all the material relating to OIAPG113 into one place.

As discussed, could we please present the OIA response as being one list of documents, rather than separating out the two elements of the request/splitting office and MCH.

Can MCH please compile the various documents and redact as necessary –

- personal details of Ministerial Office staff
- advice tendered by the Minister
- free and frank advice and information out of scope (not strictly related to Janita's appointment).
- Legally privileged

Happy to chat – thank you.

Kind regards,

9(2)(a)



#### 9(2)(a)

# Ministerial Advisor | Office of Hon Paul Goldsmith

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From: Harriett Adams < Harriett.Adams@parliament.govt.nz >

**Sent:** Thursday, 6 June 2024 3:33 pm **To:** Ministerial and OIA Enquiries

Subject: RE-COMMISSIONING OIAPG113 - CNZ Appointment Pilisi - Response

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Kia ora,

Attachments:

This OIA response has been extended by the office and is now due on 28 June.

Per the below email, the office has asked that MCH edit the response so that it is one response rather then being split in two sections. This is primarily because there is no significant communication in scope from this office.

The additional materials that have been sourced by the office are attached.

Can these please be reviewed and redacted as appropriate by MCH? I am happy to defer to the team as to a realistic timeframe to get this done, I know you're all under the pump at the moment.

# Ngā mihi



# **Harriett Adams**

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**To:** Harriett Adams < Harriett.Adams@parliament.govt.nz > **Subject:** OIAPG113 - CNZ Appointment Pilisi - Response

Hi Harriet,

Pulling all the material relating to OIAPG113 into one place.

Could we please present the OIA response as being one list of documents, rather than separating out the two elements of the request/splitting office and MCH.

Can MCH please compile the various documents and redact as necessary -

- personal details of Ministerial Office staff
- advice tendered by the Minister
- free and frank advice and information out of scope (not strictly related to Janita's appointment).
- Legally privileged

Happy to chat – thank you.

# Kind regards,

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