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Tēnā koe Michael

DSOIA129 – Benefits of Charter Schools

Thank you for your email of 14 May 2024 to Minister Seymour's office requesting the following information:

I request the advice the Minister has received that demonstrates how charter schools lift educational outcomes, in a New Zealand context.

Where any advice was received as email correspondence, I would be happy for this information to be provided as a list, by title and date.

Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

Due to an administrative error your request was transferred to the Ministry of Education. I am now transferring it back to Minister Seymour's office, as we have determined that the information requested is more closely connected with the functions of his office. As such, I am transferring your request to Minister Seymour's office in accordance with section 14(b)(ii) of the Act.

I apologise for the confusion around the initial transfer to the Ministry and the delays this caused. I can assure you, however, that this transfer back to the Minister's office will not entail any additional delays, as the staff working on your request have continued collating the information in scope of your request.

You may expect a response from Minister Seymour's office directly concerning your request and without undue delay.

Nāku noa, nā

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