Health New Zealand
Te Whatu Ora

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Tēnā koe Lana

Your request for official information, reference: HNZ00055658

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), which was transferred from the Ministry of Health on 15 July 2024 to Health New Zealand | Te Whatu Ora. You asked for the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Has New Zealand purchased any vaccines against H5N1 Bird Flu, such as AUDENZ: A cell-based H5N1 vaccine manufactured by CSL Seqirus? Or, Pandemic influenza vaccine H5N1 manufactured by AstraZeneca, or H5N1 vaccine manufactured by Sanofi, GSK subsidiary ID Biomedical Corporation of Quebec (IDB), and CSL Seqirus?

If so, What products have been purchased? How many doses have been purchased? What was the total cost of purchase?"

Response

What products have been purchased?

Health NZ has purchased H5N1 vaccine manufactured by CSL Seqirus.

How many doses have been purchased? What was the total cost of purchase?"

This information is withheld in accordance with section 9(2)(i) to enable Health NZ to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities.

How to get in touch

If you have any questions, you can contact us at hnzOlA@tewhatuora.govt.nz.

If you are not happy with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman. Information about how to do this is available at Ombudsman New Zealand | Tari o te Kaitiaki Mana Tangata or by phoning 0800 802 602.

As this information may be of interest to other members of the public, Health NZ may proactively release a copy of this response on our website. All requester data, including your name and contact details, will be removed prior to release.

Nāku iti noa, nā

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