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29 July 2024

Jack

By email: fyi-request-27550-de5c8ddb@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Jack

## Official Information Act request – 24.77 Mechanical Engineering Second Year 2024 grades

I refer to the Official Information Act (the Act) request dated 9 July 2024 for information relating to Mechanical Engineering Second Year 2024 grades. You have specifically requested:

• I would like to request grade breakdowns for the following 2024 Second Year courses in Mechanical Engineering:

EMTH210-24S1 ENME202-24S1 ENME215-24S1 ENME201-24S1

For the courses listed above, please provide the following data:

- (1) The final grade distribution for the paper (broken down by letter grade, e.g. A+, A, A-, ... etc.)
- (2) The number of students who completed the paper
- (3) The mean and median final marks for the paper (percentage)

Please note that some information has been withheld or refused under the Act.

Please see the tables attached for your requested information. Please note that where 5 or less students achieved a certain grade, the individual number is not provided, but a range of less than or equal to five. This is done under s 9(2)(a) of the Act, to protect the privacy of natural persons. Where any grounds under s 9(2) of the Act, the public interest must be considered under s 9(1). It is in the public interest to provide a range of the number of students that achieved a particular grade, whilst protecting those students from being individually identifiable. For an explanation of the grading scale please see <u>here</u>.

Please note that there are two sets of grade distributions for EMTH210 -24S1. This is because all first year professional students must take this course. One grade distribution is for those specialising in Mechanical Engineering, the other is the grade distribution for all students who took EMTH210 -24S1.

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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.

Yours sincerely

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Claire O'Connell Information Compliance Officer

Attachment: OIA 24.77 Data