

26 June 2015

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Ref: H201502403

Dear Mr Soar

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Transfer of request for official information to PHARMAC

Thank you for your request for official information, received on 25 June 2015, requesting:

Has Pharmac ever funded a Sativex application prescription? If Pharmac have ever funded a prescription of Sativex how many times has this beeen done for differing clients?

The Ministry does not hold the information you have requested. However, I believe that the information you have requested is held by *PHARMAC*. As a result, I have decided to transfer your request to PHARMAC under section 14 of the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

You have the right, under section 28 of the Act, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to transfer your request for information.

Yours sincerely

Liz McMillan Manager

Government Relations Ministry of Health

CC

PHARMAC enquiry@pharmac.govt.nz

Encl Request for information from Gregory Soar

From: Gregory Soar <fyi-request-2879-fd59c0ee@requests.fyi.org.nz>

To: OIA requests at MOH < EmailMOH@moh.govt.nz >,

Date: 25/06/2015 02:02 p.m.

Subject: Official Information Act request - Has Pharmac Ever Funded A Sativex Prescritpion?

Dear Ministry of Health,

Has Pharmac ever funded a Sativex application prescription? If Pharmac have ever funded a prescription of Sativex how many times has this beeen done for differing clients?

Yours faithfully,

Gregory Soar

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