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From: Nadine Walker <@..>
Sent: Wednesday, 23 October 2024 1:52 pm
To: [REDACTED] Richard MacLean <@..>
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Instagram comments

Hi [REDACTED]

Off the record, we aren't going to give this any of our time as we have an LTP amendment to deliver as well as working through the draft terms of reference for an observer.

The Mayor doesn't have any comment to add.

Thanks

Nadine

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 23 October 2024 1:49 pm
To: Richard MacLean <@..>; Nadine Walker <@..>
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Instagram comments

Hi,

There is a story in the Herald claiming that Wellington Mayor Tory Whanau liked comments on a post she made on her Instagram some of which said "We're with you Tory! This hit-job is disgraceful".

The Herald has reported that this post and other posts similar have now been unliked by the mayor.

Can I please get a statement answering the following:

- Do these likes reflect that the mayor feels the government installing a crown observer is a hit job?

If not why did the mayor like these posts?

- Why did she subsequently unlike these posts?

Please get back to me as soon as you can.

Kind regards,

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