



11 November 2024

Tēnā koe James

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your FYI request of 1 November 2024, requesting the following information:

All emails, texts and communications relating to complaints about Manurewa Marae and concerns regarding Te Pati Māori and/or Takutai Tarsh Kemp from January 2023 to December 1st 2023.

I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Please find my decision on your request set out below.

I acknowledge that you have further refined the time period since your previous request.

However, your request remains very broad in scope, and substantial manual collation would be required to locate and prepare all documents within scope of your request. As such, I refuse your request under section 18(f) of the Act. The greater public interest is in the effective and efficient administration of the public service.

I have considered whether the Ministry would be able to respond to your request given extra time, or the ability to charge for the information requested. I have concluded that, in either case, the Ministry's ability to undertake its work would still be prejudiced.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact OIA_Requests@msd.govt.nz.

If you are not satisfied with my decision on your request, you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi nui

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