

Chris Miller http://fyi.org.nz/request/advice-on-christchurch-housing-z#incoming-2584

Ref: CER12/268

Dear Mr Miller

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 request, received on 29 June 2012. You requested the following:

"A list of all such terms that would cause you to refuse to respond to an OIA request".

I am refusing your request under section 18(e) of the Official Information Act as no such list exists within the Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority (CERA). This is because each request CERA receives is treated on a case by case basis and responded to accordingly.

If a request is refused under section 18(e) of the Official Information Act, CERA officials are happy if a requestor wants to redefine their request that identifies documents that exist or are able to be identified.

In the case of Mr Harris, he redefined his request to documents CERA officials were able to identify and his request is currently being processed.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act.

Yours sincerely

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Jacinda Lean

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