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Dear Pariket Dhabuwala

### Response to OIA Request – PGY1 House Officer Positions

With reference to your email to the Ministry of Health of 22 October 2016 requesting information under Section 12 of the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) in relation to hiring for House Officer positions; we can provide the following information for Taranaki District Health Board:

- *Question 1. Total number of PGY1 House officer positions filled in across all DHBs in New Zealand outside of ACE matching system by UK/Canada/Ireland graduates?*

Between 2012 and 2016 Taranaki District Health Board did not fill any PGY1 positions outside of the ACE matching system with graduates from UK/Canada or Ireland.

- *Question 2. Total number of PGY1 House officer positions filled in across all DHBs in New Zealand outside of ACE matching system by NZREX graduates?*

Between 2012 and 2016 Taranaki District Health Board did not fill any PGY1 positions outside of the ACE matching system with NZREX graduates.

Yours sincerely



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