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Mr Peter Murphy via fyi-request-5000-fe381499@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Mr Murphy

Official Information Request

I refer you to your email dated 2 December 2016, in which you requested the total salary cost and comparative number of Senior Leadership Team members for the 2015/16 year.

Your request has been treated as a request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA).

In response, the Environmental Protection Authority undertook a change process in early 2016 to help it become a more proactive regulator and a scientific voice for New Zealand. The change organised business units around grouped customers and stakeholders who have similar areas of work and specialised knowledge and capabilities, as well as building capability so the organisation was prepared for the future.

Prior to the change process, the total salary cost and comparative numbers of Senior Leadership Team members for the 2015/16 year was \$1,874,050 and 10 people respectively.

Should you have any further enquires please feel free to contact Frances Duignan on 04 474 5482 or frances.duignan@epa.govt.nz.

Yours sincerely

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