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Dear Mr Jordan

### Official Information Act Request

We refer to your requests of 29 November 2016, seeking the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

#### Request one

- a. *Travel expenses for the above named [Dr John Collier] for respective years from January 2013 to date*
- b. *A breakdown of travel/transport and meal costs for those respective years*

#### Request two

- a. *ACC Assessment Costs paid to Dr Collier from January 2010 to date in per year amounts*
- b. *Claimant Cases forwarded to Dr Collier by ACC from January 2010 to date*

#### Response

In considering these requests, we have reviewed your previous requests about Dr John Collier.

We note that you have made regular requests about this individual each year since 2010. You have sought a large range of information about him, including but not limited to the following subjects: payments, client referrals, contract information, details about his practice, and his employment status.

It is evident from your correspondence that you have formed a particular view of that person, and that you have used the Act in order to search for evidence that may support or confirm your view.

We have concluded that your requests are part of a personal cause against an individual, and are not in the public interest. We consider your requests to be an inappropriate use of the Act, and we are declining them on the basis that they are vexatious. This decision is made under section 18(h) of the Act.

Please note that you have the right to make a complaint to the Office of the Ombudsman about this decision. You can call them on 0800 802 602 between 9am and 5pm on weekdays, or write to *The Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143*.

Yours sincerely  
**Government Services**