

Ref: 17/9318

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Dear Callum,

I am writing in response to your Official Information Act request for:

a CSV or Excel file relating to all organized crime groups or members of organized crime groups' arrests in the past year in the Auckland region of New Zealand. The names of individuals is not a necessity, but the names of the organized crime groups are.

We do not hold this specific information. In brief we do not have the ability (without a manual search) to access the details of numbers for members of Organised Crime Groups in Auckland. We certainly do not hold this information in a CSV or excel file, and do not specifically record this detail.

I am happy to discuss this with you or see how else we can assist your request, however as this stands we simply do not hold that information in an accessible manner.

Auckland is divided into three separate Police Districts as well as our National Organised Crime Group and there are numerous Organised Crime Groups in these areas. There is no specific registry of these numbers.

The document alleged to contain the information you have requested does not exist.

Section 18(e) of the Official Information Act 1982 provides that requests for information may be refused in such circumstances.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act 1982, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision if you are not satisfied with the way I have responded to your request.

Yours sincerely

Andrew Fabish¹
Detective Inspector

National Organised Crime Group