



10 July 2018

Official Information Request No.8140002206
(Please quote this in any correspondence)

Jason Esler

By email - fyi-request-6863-e96794bd@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Jason

Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987

Re: Auckland Council staff travel

I refer to your email, which we received on 22 November 2017, requesting information about international travel for Auckland Council staff over the last 12 months.

A decision to extend the time to respond to your request was communicated to you on the 22 December. The information you requested was held in a number of different databases, and the time and resource required to process, collate and review the content took was greater than first anticipated. This led to our decision to grant your request formally on the 5th April. We appreciate that there has been a substantial delay in responding to your request.

You specifically requested:

- Job Title
- Reason for travel
- Dates of travel
- Destination
- Cost

Please find attached a spreadsheet containing the information you have requested. Please note staff names have been removed due to privacy, under section 7(2)(a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA).

For additional information about Auckland Council's travel policy please see the link below:

<http://ourauckland.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/articles/news/2017/10/auckland-council-travel-policy-explained/>

Please note this table includes executive team travel that has previously been released to the public.

I apologise for the delay in this response and thank you for your patience in this matter.

Should you believe Auckland Council has not responded appropriately to your request, you have the right by way of complaint, under section 27(3) of the LGOIMA, to apply to the Ombudsman to seek an investigation and review of the decision.

If you have any further queries please contact me on 09 301 0101 quoting Official Information Request No. 8140002206.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. Parry-Crooke', is positioned below the 'Yours sincerely' text.

Sarah Parry-Crooke
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