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By email to: fyi-request-785-f71c812d@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Ms Mackenzie

Official Information Request Response

Thank you for your information request, received on 10 March 2013, requesting information about the deterioration of the Museum Stand at the Basin Reserve, that led to the Stand being 'yellow stickered' in February 2012. I have been asked to provide you with a response.

Specifically, you requested:

"Official papers that relate to the condition of the Museum Stand at the Basin Reserve in terms of necessary earthquake strengthening.

These papers would include details of the deterioration of the building that resulted in it being yellow stickered in February 2012, and also any further information that has come up since then."

Please find attached a copy of the Initial Evaluation Process report, used as a screening tool in terms of the Council's Earthquake-Prone Buildings Policy 2009. This led to the Museum Stand being declared an earthquake prone building.

Also attached is a Condition Assessment Report carried out by Opus in March 2012. This was commissioned by the Council as a consequence of the Stand being declared an earthquake prone building pursuant to Section 124(1)(c) of the Building Act 2004.

Additionally, I have included is a copy of an email chain with the subject line 'Basin Reserve Museum Grandstand' detailing the main findings of the report.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

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