

17 January 2019

Mr Paul Sutherland

Via email only: fyi-request-9164-746e4262@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Mr Sutherland

Re: OTK 107 – re Proposals submitted for the North Frame Pedestrian Bridge project

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 request received on 3 December 2019. You requested the following:

A copy of the 13 proposals submitted for the North Frame Pedestrian Bridge project.

Ōtākaro Limited's Response

The concept designs were received by Ōtākaro Limited as part of a request for proposals for the North Frame Pedestrian Bridge project. The concept designs remain the intellectual property of the respondents, and the respondents may wish to compete for other tenders in the future. Accordingly, we decline your request on the grounds of section 9(2)(b)(ii), release of the information would likely unreasonably prejudice the commercial position of the person who supplied the information.

I have taken the public interest considerations in section 9(1) of the Official Information Act into account. You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

Yours sincerely



John Bridgman
Chief Executive Officer