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Dear David

I refer to your Official Information Act request of 7 February 2019 for the following information:

*“Any requirements, specifications, or expectations in written form of how Police would appear at the Auckland Pride Parade as requested by the parade organisers to the Police, for the 2019 Parade.”*

I respond to your question as below:

Police were advised by the Auckland Pride Board by email on 7 November 2018 that; *Police officers were welcome to participate in the 2019 Auckland Pride Parade but would not be able to march in uniform.*

No other requirements, specifications or expectations were outlined in written form to Police regarding this.

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

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