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Tēnā koe

### **Official Information Act Request**

Thank you for your email of 29 July 2024, requesting information about details of contracts with training providers since 1 January 2020, and details of reporting frameworks and outcome evaluations. I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Please find my decision set out below.

Your request for this information is very broad, and substantial manual collation would be required to locate and prepare all documents within scope of your request. As such, I refuse your request under section 18(f) of the Act. The greater public interest is in the effective and efficient administration of the public service.

I have considered whether the Ministry would be able to respond to your request given extra time, or the ability to charge for the information requested. I have concluded that, in either case, the Ministry's ability to undertake its work would still be prejudiced.

However, we invite you to make a follow up request for this information regarding specific providers or for specific training courses.

I will be publishing this decision letter, with your personal details deleted, on the Ministry's website in due course.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact [OIA\\_Requests@msd.govt.nz](mailto:OIA_Requests@msd.govt.nz).

If you are not satisfied with my decision on your request for requesting information about details of contracts with training providers since 1 January 2020, and details of reporting frameworks and outcome evaluations, you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi

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