



2 July 2018



Dear 

Official Information Act request

Our Reference 2018/0107

I refer to your Official Information Act (OIA) request received on 28 June 2018, for the following:

- *"A copy of all Thompson & Clark Investigations Ltd invoices tendered to the State Services Commission from March 31, 2013 - March 31, 2018.*
- *A copy of all threat assessment reports conducted by Thompson & Clark Investigations Ltd for the State Services Commission from March 31, 2013 - March 31, 2018.*
- *In the above time period on how many occasions did Thompson & Clark Investigations Ltd recommend that referrals be made to police about individuals?"*

On 12 March 2018, in response to your OIA request of February 2018, we informed you that the States Services Commission had reviewed its records and confirmed that we have had no contracts with Thompson and Clark. As such, your request has been refused in accordance with section 18 (d) of the OIA as the information does not exist.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Ministerial.Services@ssc.govt.nz.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that we intend to publish this letter (with your personal details removed) [and enclosed documents] on the State Services Commission's website.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in green ink, appearing to read 'Rachel Bruce'.

Rachel Bruce
Deputy Commissioner
State Services Commission