



Te Kawa Mataaho

Public Service Commission

3 February 2025

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Official Information Request

Our Ref: OIA 2024-0212

I refer to your official information request received on 18 December 2024 where you asked for:

“...any information held by any Government agency relating to the use of the sprinklers, sounds, and noise/music against the protestors from 6 February 2021 to 1 April 2021

I also seek any information on the repairs costs to the sprinkler system and grounds as a result of protestors attempting to stop this.”

Information not held

The information you have requested is not held by Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission (the Commission). We are therefore refusing your request under section 18(e) of the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) on the grounds the information is not held by the Commission.

As required under section 14 of the OIA, if the Commission does not hold the information, but we believe the information is held by another agency, we are required to transfer your request. However, the Parliamentary Service are not subject to the OIA. You may wish to contact the Parliamentary Service directly to request this information. Their contact information can be found here: <https://www.parliament.nz/en/footer/contact-us/>

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Enquiries@publicservice.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) on the Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission’s website.

Yours sincerely

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