



Information used in OGP review and advice

This document lists information used by the Public Service Commission during its review of OGP and subsequent advice in 2023 and 2024.

New Zealand OGP National Action Plans, with associated reports, stakeholder feedback and other material

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