

22 February 2019

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Ref: OIA-4423

Dear Paul

Request made under the Official Information Act 1982

Thank you for your email of 21 November 2018 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Could I please the April 2018 through Oct 2018 monthly progress reports on the works provisioning phase of the Transmission Gully project?

On 10 December 2018 we extended the due date for your request until 22 February 2019.

The following documents fall within the scope of your request and are enclosed:

- Attachment 1: Transmission Gully Project: Monthly Report to WGP, April 2018
- Attachment 2: Transmission Gully Project: Monthly Report to WGP, May 2018
- Attachment 3: Transmission Gully Project: Monthly Report to WGP, June 2018
- Attachment 4: Transmission Gully Project: Monthly Report to WGP, July 2018
- Attachment 5: Transmission Gully Project: Monthly Report to WGP, August 2018
- Attachment 6: Transmission Gully Project: Monthly Report to WGP, September 2018
- Attachment 7: Transmission Gully Project: Monthly Report to WGP, October 2018.

Please note that certain information has been withheld from the above reports under the following sections of the Act:

- section 9(2)(a) to protect the privacy of natural persons
- section 9(2)(b)(ii) to protect the commercial position of the person who supplied the information or who is the subject of the information
- section 9(2)(g)(ii) to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through the protection of such Ministers, members of organisations, officers, and employees from improper pressure or harassment.

With respect to the information that has been withheld, I do not consider there are any other factors which would render it desirable, in the public interest, to make the information available.

Under section 28 of the Act, you have the right to complain to the Ombudsman about the information that was withheld under this request. More information about the Ombudsman is available online at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

If you would like to discuss this reply with the Transport Agency, please contact Andrew Knackstedt, Senior Manager Media, by email to Andrew.Knackstedt@nzta.govt.nz or by phone on (04) 894 6285.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chris Hunt". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Chris Hunt
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