

27 August 2020



REF: OIA-6984

Dear 

**Request made under the Official Information Act 1982**

Thank you for your email of 7 August 2020 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*Under the Official Information Act I would like to request any and all correspondence between NZTA and the Ministers and Associate Ministers of Transport in regards to the proposed speed reduction on State Highway 6 between Nelson and Blenheim in 2019 and 2020.*

*This was consulted on in 2019 <https://www.nzta.govt.nz/projects/sh6-blenheim-to-nelson-speed-consultation/>*

There are twelve documents fall within scope of your request. Further information about the document is provided in the document schedule attached to this response.

Certain information has been withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act. This section allows for the withholding of information to protect the privacy of natural persons.

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 ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to withhold this information. The contact details for the Ombudsman can be located at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz).

In accordance with Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency policy, this response will be published on our website shortly. If you would like to discuss this reply with the Waka Kotahi, please contact [Official.Correspondence@nzta.govt.nz](mailto:Official.Correspondence@nzta.govt.nz)

Yours sincerely



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**OIA-6984 Document Schedule**

Ref	Document	Date	Description
1.	Attachment 1 - 6 June 2019 - excerpt of BRI-1679 - Information to Support the Speed Announcement	6 June 2019	<p>We are releasing the excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.</p> <p>We are releasing Appendix E to provide context on the information released. It contains a general overview of the speed management review and how the decision on speed limits will be made.</p> <p>Released in full</p>
2.	Attachment 2 - 4 July 2019 - MIN-3129 RESPONSE Regional updates - June 2019  30 July 2019 - MIN-3175 email Regional summaries final	30 July 2019	Phone number is redacted under section 9(2)(a)
3.	Attachment 3 – excerpt of 20 September 2019 - MIN-3229 RESPONSE	20 September 2019	<p>We are releasing the excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.</p> <p>Released in full</p>
4.	Attachment 4 - 11 October 2019 - excerpt of #168 Weekly Report WE 11 October 2019	11 October 2019	<p>We are releasing the excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.</p> <p>Released in full</p>
5.	Attachment 5 - 31 October 2019 - FW_SH6	31 October 2019	Phone number is redacted under section 9(2)(a)
6.	Attachment 6 - excerpt SNP Speed Review Programme_RevA (003)	11 November 2019	<p>We are releasing the excerpt of the table as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.</p> <p>The 8 November 2019 email is out of scope, as such we don't include it in the response.</p>
7.	Attachment 7 - 28 November 2019 - MINO-0021 SECOND RESPONSE - Request for update. FW_Minister Genter officials meeting actions (13 November 2019)	28 November 2019	<p>Appendix A is provided as an excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.</p> <p>Appendix A is released in full</p>
8.	Attachment 8 - 17 January 2020 – excerpt MINO-0021 RESPONSE #3	17 January 2020	<p>We are releasing the excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.</p> <p>Phone number is redacted under section 9(2)(a)</p>
9.	Attachment 9 - 28 January 2020 - FW_Marlborough Express State Highway 6 - opportunity to respond	28 January 2020	Phone number and email address are redacted under section 9(2)(a)

Ref	Document	Date	Description
10.	Attachment 10 - 14 February 2020 – excerpt of MIN-3382 RESPONSE FW_ Actions from Mn Genter's meeting with MoT & NZTA Officials (23_01_20)	14 February 2020	We are releasing the excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.  Released in full
11.	Attachment 11 - 27 May 2020 - MIN-3382 RESPONSE #2 FW_ Update on Pipeline of Speed Reviews	27 May 2020	We are releasing the excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.  Phone number is redacted under section 9(2)(a)
12.	Attachment 12 - 31 July 2020 – excerpt MIN-3476 RESPONSE - Regional Summaries - August 2020	31 July 2020	We are releasing the excerpt as the information in the documents are mostly out of scope.  Released in full