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REF: OIA-9118

Dear Frances

Request made under the Official Information Act 1982

Thank you for your emails of 24 November 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

How many cyclists have died in road collisions with vehicles in Nelson Tasman over the last five years, and how many of these crashes have been with trucks?

I'm looking for data regarding the amount of crashes that took place on State Highway 6 between Blenheim and Nelson, from December 18 2020 to present. Can the crashes please be separated by whether they were fatal, serious, minor, or non-injury, and can I please get the individual crash locations.

Could I also get the crash rate on the same stretch of road for the last five years, dating back to the start of 2015 if possible.

The data you have requested is released to you in full and is enclosed in the attached spreadsheet (OIA-9118.xlsx). The data in the spreadsheet should be read in conjunction with the caveats on the first page of the spreadsheet.

If you would like to discuss this reply with Waka Kotahi, please contact Andy Knackstedt, Senior Manager, Media, by email to andrew.knackstedt@nzta.govt.nz.

Yours sincerely



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