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REF: OIA-11197

Dear 

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

Thank you for your email of 12 October 2022 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*Under the Official Information Act I request copies of the following reports identified in OIA-10879 Response:*

- *AHB Performance Report\_March21*
- *AHB Performance Report\_Dec21\_Jan22*
- *AHB Performance Report\_August22*
- *Box Girder External Special 1 2020-21*
- *27. Box Girder Internal Principal 2020-21*
- *Box Girder Internal Special 4 2020-21*
- *Concrete Piers Above Water (Boat) Principal Inspection 2020-21*
- *Diagonal Internal Principal 202-21*
- *Concrete Pier 1 Principal 2021-22*
- *49. Diagonal 3U13-L12 west Special Inspection April 2022*
- *50. AHB Stringer Half Joint Management August 2022*
- *45. Pier Bracket External Principal (Pier 6) 2021-2022*

The timeframe for responding to your request was extended on 9 November 2022 as allowed for under section 15A of the Act.

The documents in scope of your request, and my decision on each are outlined in the attached document schedule. Some information in these documents has been withheld under the following sections of the Act:

- Section 9(2)(a) – to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons
- Section 9(2)(g)(i) – to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through the free and frank expression of opinions by or between or to Ministers of the Crown or members of an organisation or officers and employees of any department or organisation in the course of their duty

- 9(2)(i) – to enable a Minister of the Crown or any department or organisation holding the information to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities.

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 some 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 policy, this response will be published on our website with your personal information removed.

If you would like to discuss this reply with Waka Kotahi, please contact Ministerial Services by email to [official.correspondence@nzta.govt.nz](mailto:official.correspondence@nzta.govt.nz).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Neil Walker', with a stylized, flowing script.

**Neil Walker**  
National Manager Maintenance and Operations

**OIA-11197 Document Schedule**

Ref	Document	Information being withheld/reason for withholding
1.	Box Girder External Special 1 2020-21	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
2.	Box Girder Internal Principal 2020-21	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
3.	Box Girder Internal Special 4 2020-21	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
4.	Concrete Piers Above Water (Boat) Principal Inspection 2020-21	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
5.	Diagonal Internal Principal 2020-21	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
6.	AHB Performance Report March 2021	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a), 9(2)(g)(i) and 9(2)(i) of the Act.
7.	Concrete Pier 1 Principal November 2021	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
8.	Pier Bracket External Principal (Pier 6) 2021-2022	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
9.	AHB Performance Report December 2021-January 2022	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a), 9(2)(g)(i) and 9(2)(i) of the Act. Out of scope information has also been redacted.
10.	Diagonal 3U13-L12 west Special Inspection April 2022	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act.
11.	AHB Stringer Half Joint Management August 2022	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) and 9(2)(i) of the Act.
12.	AHB Performance Report August 2022	Some information is being withheld under section 9(2)(a) and 9(2)(i) of the Act. Out of scope information has also been redacted.