

1 May 2023

Out of Scope

REF: OIA-12336

Dear Out

Request made under the Official Information Act 1982

Thank you for your email of 31 March 2023 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Please provide crash statistics for Hebden Crescent dated 01.01.2016 to 18.11.23 under OIA. This should include: near misses, minor accidents and fatalities.

You clarified your request as follows:

*I am after numbers of road related incidents and now I'm clarifying would like to open that up to environmental issues or events on the stretch of road from the intersection of Hebden Crescent and SH2
(41.17774° S, 174.94689° E)
to the intersection of Hebden Crescent and Haywards Hill round about (coordinates: 41.15717° S, 174.97437° E)*

I am requesting numbers of crashes including:

- Near misses (if recorded)*
- Minor incidents*
- Major incidents*
- Fatalities*
- Environmental incidents such as slips or flooding events.*
- Pedestrian injuries or minor incidents.*
- Any other data relating to the above in anyway*

Data to be provided from 01.01.2016 - 18.11.2022 please. (This can be extended to 31.12.2022 if it is easier to process from your end)

You further clarified that you would also like the following:

- Data showing where a factor leading to a crash was an environmental factor.
- Data showing how many environmental incidents such as slips or flooding incidents there have been in this area during the specified timeframe

The following document falls within the scope of your request for crash data and is enclosed:

- OIA-12336.xlsx

The data in the spreadsheet should be read in conjunction with the caveats on the first page of the spreadsheet.

I am required to refuse the part of your request regarding near misses under section 18(g)(i) of the Act because the information requested is not held by Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency and I have no grounds for believing that the information is connected more closely with the functions of another department or Minister of the Crown or organisation or of a local authority.

The part of your request for environmental incidents such as slips or flooding events along this part of road has been transferred to Hutt City Council.

Under section 28 of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to refuse part of this request. The contact details for the Ombudsman can be located at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

In line with Waka Kotahi policy, this response will soon be published on our website, with personal information removed.

If you would like to discuss this reply with Waka Kotahi, please contact Kerry Greig, Manager Data Services, by email to kerry.greig@nzta.govt.nz

Yours sincerely



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