

31 July 2023

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REF: OIA-13053

Dear [REDACTED]

Request made under the Official Information Act 1982

Thank you for your email of 5 July 2023 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Under the Official Information Act 1982, I wish to seek a copy of the Options Assessment Report, as mentioned in the reply to Written Question 18922 (2023).

Please find enclosed the Remediation Options Report for the SH25a Taparahi Slip.

I am withholding the names of third-party employees under section 9(2)(a) of the Act. This section allows for the withholding of information to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased 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.

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 Ministerial Services, by email to official.correspondence@nzta.govt.nz

Yours sincerely



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