



Te Kawa Mataaho

Public Service Commission

11 February 2025

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Official Information Act Transfer and Response

Our ref: PSCR 2025-0084

I refer to your Official Information Act request dated 27 January 2025 for:

“all material held by

DPMC

Parliamentary Services

Office of Speaker of the House (I am not sure if Mr Mallard has his own office not covered by the other names in this request)

Trevor Mallard

Jacinda Ardern

Chris Hipkins

Time

From 11 February 2022 to 18 February 2022

Issue

Relating to the use of blasting music, using water sprinklers, using bright lights, or any other 'tactic'

Against protestors at the Parliament grounds during this period.”

Transfer of part of your request

We have transferred the part of your request relating to *“all material held by DPMC”* to the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC), as the information to which this part relates is not held by us but is believed to be held by DPMC. In these circumstances, we are required by section 14 of the Official Information Act 1982 to transfer your request.

You will hear further from the DPMC concerning that part of your request.

Information not held

In relation to the remainder of your request, the information you have requested is not held by Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission (the Commission). We are therefore refusing your request under section 18(e) of the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) on the grounds the information is not held by the Commission.

As required under section 14 of the OIA, if the Commission does not hold the information, but we believe the information is held by another agency, we are required to transfer your request. However, the Parliamentary Service are not subject to the OIA.

You may wish to contact the Parliamentary Service directly to request this information. Their contact email address is: parliamentary.information@parliament.govt.nz.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Enquiries@publicservice.govt.nz.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that we intend to publish this letter (with your personal details removed) on the Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission's website.

Yours sincerely



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Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission