



# Te Kawa Mataaho

Public Service Commission

7 March 2025

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## Official Information Request Our Ref: PSCR 2025-0228

I refer to your official information request received on 25 February 2025 where you asked:

*“Please can you provide a copy of Dr Diana Sarfati's letter of resignation as Director General of Health. Please also provide the relevant clause(s) in her contract regarding termination of contract and required notice period.”*

### Information not released

Individual employment contracts of chief executives or letters of resignation are private and confidential to that individual. There are two documents covered by your request that I have decided to withhold in full under section 9(2)(a) of the Official Information Act 1982 in order to protect the privacy of natural persons, including deceased people.

In making my decision I have considered the public interest considerations in section 9(1) of the OIA.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact [Enquiries@publicservice.govt.nz](mailto: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](http://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 Commission's website.

Yours sincerely

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**Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission**