



# Te Kawa Mataaho

Public Service Commission

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## Official Information Request Our Ref: PSCR 2025-0347

I refer to your official information request received on 17 March 2025 where you asked:

*“Would it be possible to furnish me with just a little more on each of the six people listed as members of the Health Assurance Unit, namely what their usual positions are within the public service.”*

### Information being released

Please find listed in the table below the roles that members of the Health Assurance Unit as provided to you in our previous OIA response (PSCR 2025-0347), were seconded from.

Name	Position
Hamiora Bowkett	Executive Director, Department of Internal Affairs
Geoff Short	Acting Deputy Director-General, Ministry of Health
Kiri Richards	Associate Deputy Director General, Ministry of Health
Jaron Shaw	Contractor, Department of Internal Affairs
Francesca Watts	Portfolio Private Secretary, Department of Internal Affairs
Neralee Mahuika	Programme Administrator, Department of Internal Affairs

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 Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission's website.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Nicky Dirks', with a stylized, cursive script.

Nicky Dirks

**Manager – Ministerial and Executive Services**  
**Te Kawa Mataaho Public Service Commission**