



23 August 2019

Dear [REDACTED]

Official Information Request
Our Ref: 2019-0217

I refer to your official information request received on 3 August 2019 for:

"a description of any work undertaken during the final term of the Key-English Ministry that examined comparative policy outcomes and/or the wellbeing of different demographic sectors of the population.

- *Is the SSC currently undertaking any policy analysis of this nature?"*

In response to your request, the State Services Commission has not undertaken any work that examined comparative policy outcomes and/or the wellbeing of different demographic sectors of the population.

Accordingly, we have decided to refuse your request in full under section 18(e) of the OIA that information requested does not exist.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Ministerial.Services@ssc.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 State Services Commission's website).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Nicky Dirks'.

Nicky Dirks
Managing Principal – Ministerial Services
State Services Commission