

24 January 2025

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act Request

Thank you for your email of 22 January 2025 requesting a list of the contracted emergency housing providers in Christchurch.

I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Please find my decision on your request set out below.

I am refusing your request under section 18(e) of the Act as this information does not exist. The Ministry does not contract any emergency housing providers in Christchurch.

I will be publishing this decision letter, with your personal details deleted, on the Ministry's website in due course.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact OIA Requests@msd.govt.nz.

If you are not satisfied with my decision on your request, you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi nui

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Anna Graham **General Manager**

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