



12 March 2025

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your email of 15 February 2025, requesting information about the number of New Zealanders being housed in one-bedroom units.

I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

i benjamin wood wants to no how many new zealanders have been housed in one bedroom units thu out new zealand from 2022 to today's date 15/02/2025 from kainga ora its for a project and a you tube channel i'm making about govt agencies in new zealand i will go thu kainga ora but they said msd are the ones that are looking after social housing

A total of 3,399 primary applicants have been accommodated in one-bedroom tenancies provided by Kainga Ora between 1 January 2022 to 31 January 2025.

It is important to note that the Ministry is unable to provide data for incomplete months, therefore the stated figure pertains specifically to the full period from 1 January 2022 to 31 January 2025.

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

pp.

Anna Graham
General Manager
Ministerial and Executive Services