



22 May 2025

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your email of 26 April 2025, requesting information about people on the Housing Register who have identified a need for accessible or modified housing.

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

Information about the Register is available here: www.msd.govt.nz/about-msd-and-our-work/publications-resources/statistics/housing/housing-register.html.

Information regarding the SAS assessment criteria at the following link: www.workandincome.govt.nz/map/social-housing/assessment-of-eligibility/assessment-of-housing-need-01.html.

Please see the attached **Appendix** which contains the following information:

- **Table One:** The total number of primary applicants on the Housing Register as at 31 March 2025
- **Table Two:** The number of primary applicants on the Public Housing register requiring modified housing as at 31 March 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.

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