



11 October 2022

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by email: ██████████

Ref: OIA-2022/23-0161

Dear ██████████

Official Information Act request for an organisation chart of senior staff

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 19 September 2022. You requested:

"{..}please send me the organisation chart for senior public servants in the [Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet] DPMC. Please only have the names of the positions, not the names of individuals."

Within scope of your request is information for both DPMC and the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA), which is a departmental agency hosted by DPMC.

The structure of DPMC changes as new responsibilities are added or removed, and leadership roles can often include more than one business group. As such, the Department does not publish an organisation chart, and maintains on its website an up-to-date list of our Executive Leadership Team members and further information on DPMC's Business Units. This information can be used to establish the organisation chart applicable at any point in time.

I instead refer you to the DPMC website for a list of our Executive Leadership Team and their responsible Business Units, which is accessible through the following link: dpmc.govt.nz/about-dpmc/who-we-are.

NEMA's organisation chart is also publicly available, and can be accessed through the following link: www.civildefence.govt.nz/assets/Uploads/About/NEMA-High-Level-Structure-Oct2022.pdf

Therefore, your request is refused under section 18(d) of the Act, as the information requested is publicly available.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

This response will be published on the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet's website during our regular publication cycle. Typically, information is released monthly, or as otherwise determined. Your personal information including name and contact details will be removed for publication.

Yours sincerely



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