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Tēnā koe ,

Official Information Act request for a list of OIA email addresses

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 20 March 2025. You requested:

"...a full list of all government agencies in NZ, e.g., such as MBIE, local council.

I'm after the names of those agencies, I know there is a list but it includes private companies which adds to the confusion. I'm not sure how a limited liability company can be a government department.

If there is a list that your department already has, that would be great and one with all the OIA email addresses, please.

I'm sure this is something that your agency already has when dealing with OIA requests."

Several publicly available resources contain information that is relevant to your request.

For the part of your request for a complete list of government agencies, you may find the A-Z list of government departments on the New Zealand Government website useful: [Government A-Z | New Zealand Government](#). You can also download departments' contact details from this website.

The Ministry of Justice administers the "Directory of Official Information," which is an exhaustive list of Government departments, Crown entities, state-owned enterprises, and other organisations that are subject to the Act. Email addresses for all these organisations are also available in the Directory: [Directory of Official Information Search Tool | New Zealand Ministry of Justice](#).

As you may be aware, Ministers of the Crown are also subject to the Act. The Ministerial list is available on the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet's website: [Ministerial List | Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet \(DPMC\)](#).

For the part of your request concerning councils, a complete list of these is available on the Local Government New Zealand website: [Council websites and maps - LGNZ](#). This also contains links to councils' websites, where you can make requests for information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987.

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.

Nāku noa, nā,



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