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Ref: OIA-2025/26-0322

Tēnā koe ,

Official Information Act request for unredacted copies of the coalition agreements

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request, which was received by the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet (DPMC) on 14 November 2025. You requested:

Full, unredacted copies of the coalition agreements signed on 24 November 2023 between:

- 1. The National Party and ACT Party*
- 2. The National Party and New Zealand First Party*

Including any:

- Supplementary agreements*
- Confidential annexes or schedules*
- Amendments or addendums made since signing*
- Working documents showing agreed policy commitments.*

Both agreements are publicly available in full on the DPMC website (<https://www.dPMC.govt.nz/publications/co-24-2-national-act-and-new-zealand-first-coalition-government-consultation-and-operating-arrangements>). This part of your request is therefore refused under section 18(d) of the Act as the information requested is publicly available.

There are no supplementary agreements, confidential annexes or schedules, or amendments or addendums made since signing. These parts of your request are therefore refused under section 18(e) of the Act as the information requested does not exist.

Your request for “working documents showing agreed policy commitments” is interpreted as any documents agreed alongside the coalition agreements that might expand or add to those agreements. No such documents were agreed to our knowledge. This part of your request is therefore refused under section 18(e) of the Act as the information requested does not exist.

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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Secretary of the Cabinet/Clerk of the Executive Council