

5 March 2019

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Dear [REDACTED] *Withheld under s9(2)(a) of the OIA*

I am writing to acknowledge and respond to your request under the Official Information Act 1982, received by Education New Zealand on 4 March 2019. You requested the following:


- *A copy of all correspondence and communications with the Labour Maori Caucus relating to the vocational education reforms.*

There has not been any correspondence or communication between Education New Zealand and the Labour Maori Caucus relating to the vocational education reforms.

We are refusing your request under section 18(g) of the Official Information Act 1982 as the information is not held by Education New Zealand and we do not believe that the information is held by another government agency.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602. If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Angela Meredith, Accountability Manager (angela.meredith@enz.govt.nz).

Yours sincerely



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