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Dear Sarah Jane

Thank you for your Official Information Act request, received on 16 April 2019. You requested:

For each of the last 4 financial years, and for the current financial year to date please provide:

- *The annual budget and actual spend information for training, development and other capability building initiatives at the Treasury.*
- *The amount spent on training that is directly related to:*
 - *Economics*
 - *Accounting*
 - *Regulation/Regulatory Practice*
- *The amount of spent on training, development and other capability building initiatives that are not covered by the categories above, split into appropriate categories (e.g Treaty of Waitangi, Communications, Writing etc)*
- *The total budget for the organisation development (or equivalent) team at the Treasury, broken into broad groupings (e.g. staffing costs, conference attendance costs, travel costs etc).*
- *The amount of time (whether in hours or expressed as a percentage of the total OD time available) that was (or was planned to be) dedicated to each initiative*

Please provide all documents that are related to these matters or that you otherwise rely on to prepare your response including information in or taken from your finance system and individual and team work plans.

David Hammond, Team Leader Ministerial Advisory Service, emailed you on 30 April 2019 to ask you to refine your request. As we have not received a response from you I am refusing your request under section 18(f) of the Official Information Act – the information requested cannot be made available without substantial collation or research.

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This reply addresses the information you requested. You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Michelle Ewing', with a large, stylized flourish underneath.

Michelle Ewing
Acting Chief People Officer