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Ms Kate Molony  
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Dear Ms Molony

Thank you for your email of 4 September 2019 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*The submissions of the parties and the reports of the experts commissioned by the Ministry to advise on this dispute, as well as any other evidence in this matter that was considered in making the decision for Determination 2018/040?*

Thank you for your patience and please find the enclosed documentation in response to your request. Some information within the documents being released is withheld under section 9(2)(a) of the Act; to protect the privacy of natural persons.

In terms of section 9(1) of the Act, I am satisfied that, in the circumstances, the decision to withhold information under section 9 of the Act is not outweighed by other considerations that render it desirable to make the information available in the public interest.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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