

9 July 2020

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REF: OIA-6744

Dear Gerard

**Request made under the Official Information Act 1982**

Thank you for your email of 9 June 2020 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*can you please supply all outstanding receipts from Kensington Swan, in relation to this hearing:*

*[https://scanmail.trustwave.com/?c=2838&d=xv\\_e3mM7v6k0HSCs2nwapKPPFcqOSK1w4LGwoY-yDw&u=https%3a%2f%2fwww%2eemploymentcourt%2egovt%2enz%2fassets%2fDocuments%2fDecisions%2f2019-NZEmpC-187-Byrne-v-NZ-Transport-Agency-jud-131219%2epdf](https://scanmail.trustwave.com/?c=2838&d=xv_e3mM7v6k0HSCs2nwapKPPFcqOSK1w4LGwoY-yDw&u=https%3a%2f%2fwww%2eemploymentcourt%2egovt%2enz%2fassets%2fDocuments%2fDecisions%2f2019-NZEmpC-187-Byrne-v-NZ-Transport-Agency-jud-131219%2epdf)*

*please provide all itemised monthly receipts, which were not supplied in last OIA request, even though you are required to do so.*

*please include all invoices including the plaintiff's costs which you were ordered to pay.*

Documents in scope of your request are outlined in the Document Schedule attached to this letter.

The March 2020 invoice contains the costs awarded to the plaintiff.

Please note that the following discounts have been applied to their invoices by Dentons and will need to be taken into account when calculating totals.

- 10 percent in October 2019
- 3 Percent in November 2019
- 0.045 percent in December 2019.

Please note that some information has been withheld under the following sections of the Act:

- 9(2)(a) – to protect the privacy of natural persons
- 9(2)(b)(ii) – to protect the commercial position of the person who supplied the information or who is the subject of the information
- 9(2)(h) – to maintain legal privilege.

Information out of scope has also been redacted.

With respect to the information that has been withheld, I do not consider there are any other factors which would render it desirable, in the public interest, to make the information available.

Under section 28 of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision to withhold some information. The contact details for the Ombudsman can be located online at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz).

If you would like to discuss this reply with Waka Kotahi, please contact Katrina Leather, Manager Employment Relations, by email to [katrina.leather@nzta.govt.nz](mailto:katrina.leather@nzta.govt.nz).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Lokum', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

**Chris Lokum**  
General Manager People

## OIA-6744 Document Schedule

REF	Document name	Information being withheld/reason for withholding
1.	May 2019 Invoice	<p>Some information has been withheld under the following sections of the Act:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9(2)(a) – to protect the privacy of natural persons</li> <li>• 9(2)(b)(ii) – to protect the commercial position of the person who supplied the information or who is the subject of the information</li> <li>• 9(2)(h) – to maintain legal privilege.</li> </ul> <p>Information out of scope has also been redacted.</p>
2.	June 2019 Invoice	
3.	July 2019 Invoice	
4.	August 2019 Invoice	
5.	September 2019 Invoice	
6.	October 2019 Invoice	
7.	November 2019 Invoice	
8.	December 2019 Invoice	
9.	January 2020 Invoice	
10.	February 2020 Invoice	
11.	March 2020 Invoice	