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Tēnā koe Lyn

LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL INFORMATION AND MEETINGS ACT 1987: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Thank you for your email dated 9 June 2021 requesting information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA). A decision has now been made on your request pursuant to section 13 of the LGOIMA.

In response to your request, please see below:

1. **Does the organisation carry out drugs and alcohol testing (among employees or other persons)**
Yes, for employees only
2. **If drug and alcohol testing does take place at the organisation who currently provides the testing service i.e., name of service provider(s)**
TDDA (The Drug Detection Agency)
3. **For each (named) service provider what is the nature of the drug & alcohol testing service delivered e.g., saliva, urine, breath and alcohol and synthetic cannabinoids?**
Urine, breath and alcohol and synthetic cannabinoids
4. **In what geographic location(s) is the service delivered?**
Whakatāne District
5. **Is the service provided under contract?**
Yes, a service level agreement.

If yes:

- **How many contracts does the provider have with your organisation?**
One
- **What is the term of that/those contract(s)?**
12 months
- **What is the dollar value of that/those contract(s)?**
There is no specified dollar value - it varies depending on the service required
- **Are there options for renewing that/those contract(s)?**
Yes, will be reviewed at the end of the 12 month period

6. **What organisation(s)/company(ies) previously conducted drug and alcohol testing for your organisation (repeat all of 'b' for previous service providers)?**

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7. **For each (named) service provider what is the nature of the drug & alcohol testing service delivered e.g., saliva, urine, breath and alcohol and synthetic cannabinoids?**

Urine, breath and alcohol and synthetic cannabinoids

8. **In what geographic location(s) is the service delivered?**

Whakatāne District

9. **Is the service provided under contract?**

No.

If you are not satisfied with my response, you are entitled to request a review by the Ombudsmen. Further information can be obtained from the following website www.ombudsmen.govt.nz.

Nāku noa, nā



Steph O'Sullivan
CHIEF EXECUTIVE