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Jack Kirkpatrick
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Tēnā koe Jack,

I refer to your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request dated 26 July 2021, in which you asked:

I am requesting information, under the Official Information Act, regarding:

- 1. Whether Harry Tam is on the National Gang List*
- 2. Whether Sonny Smith is on the National Gang List*

Police does not release detailed information held by the Gang Intelligence Centre, such as personal information recorded on the National Gang List.

This information you have requested has therefore been withheld under the following sections of the OIA:

- Section 6(c) as making available this information would be likely to prejudice the maintenance of the law, including the prevention, investigation, and detection of offences, and the right to a fair trial.
- Section 9(2)(a) to protect the privacy of natural persons.

If you require further information, please contact Police Ministerial Services in the first instance. If you have concerns with my response to your request, you have the right to complain to the Ombudsman and seek an investigation and review of my decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at: www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

Yours sincerely,



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