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Tēnā koe Mark

### **Official Information Act request: Driver Licence Stop Orders**

Thank you for your email of 19 September 2022 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), information relating to unpaid fines and reparations, and Driver License Stop Orders. Specifically, you requested:

- 1. How many people currently have unpaid fines/reparations owing to the Courts and what is the dollar value owing for each of the last five years.*
- 2. Could you please advise how many Driver Licence Stop Orders you have issued in each of the last five years, and how many have been lifted during this period.*
- 3. How much have the recipients of DLSO's eventually paid, in each of the last five years?*
- 4. What is the Ministry's evaluation of the success, or otherwise, of this programme. Do the fines received from DLSO's well and truly cover the Ministry's own costs in administering it (eg, staffing, salaries, IT systems, etc).*

Pursuant to section 15(1) of the Act, the Ministry of Justice has decided to grant your request. However, we require more time to finalise the information for release. The information will be provided to you as soon as it is ready and without undue delay. I apologise for any inconvenience this delay may cause you.

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Act. The Ombudsman may be contacted by phone on 0800 802 602 or by email to [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Nāku noa, nā



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