

27 November 2014

Grace Haden  
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Dear Ms Haden

**Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987**

**CAS-423712-Z5Q4T1**

Thank you for your email dated 28 October 2014 requesting information about Simply Brilliant Communications.

The principal of Simply Brilliant Communications is a sole trader

The name of that individual is withheld under Section 7(2)a. We consider that in this case the information relating to that individual can be withheld to "*protect the privacy of natural persons*" and this interest is not "*outweighed by other considerations which render it desirable, in the public interest, to make that information available*".

AT can confirm that the individual has over 20 years experience in the communications field and has also provided contract support to Auckland Council and other CCOs in recent years.

We trust that the information has clarified the situation however you have the right in accordance with section 27(3) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA) to make a complaint to the Office of the Ombudsman if you are not satisfied with our response.

Kind regards,



Wally Thomas  
**General Manager Communications**