



## J. Buckingham

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## Dear J. Buckingham

Thank you for your email of 28 February 2023 requesting the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Please provide any briefings, papers or research by MfE that discuss the value or use of rewilding loans or bonds to assist with addressing climate change or land use changes to improve the environment in Aotearoa.

The Ministry for the Environment (the Ministry) has not located any briefings or papers of research done by us that discuss rewilding loans or rewilding bonds, neither for the purpose of addressing climate change impacts, climate change mitigation, nor land use change for the improvement of indigenous biodiversity or the wider environment.

Therefore your request is refused under section 18(g)(i) of the Act, as the information requested is not held by the Ministry, and we do not believe it is held by any other agency or organisation.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Office of the Ombudsman of my decision relating to this request, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. The relevant details can be found on their website at: <a href="https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a>.

Please note that due to the public interest in our work the Ministry for the Environment publishes responses to requests for official information on our <u>OIA responses page</u> shortly after the response has been sent.

If you have any queries about this, please feel free to contact our Ministerial Services team: <a href="ministerials@mfe.govt.nz">ministerials@mfe.govt.nz</a>.

Yours sincerely

Electronically approved by Rebecca Clements

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