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By email: fyi-request-23347-c665d5ce@requests.fyi.org.nz

Kia ora MB

I refer to your information request dated 7 July 2023 made under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). You have requested mark and grade distributions for the 2023 ECON201 and ECON210 papers offered by the University of Otago.

Subject to the following comment, please see attached the information you have requested.

- in the attached grade and mark distributions, we note that students who withdrew from the papers or received an Aegrotat Pass grade (not a mark) are excluded from the data.

I trust that this information will be helpful.

In the above cases, we consider that good reasons exist for withholding information, and this is not outweighed by other considerations which would make it desirable, in the public interest, to make the information available.

If you are not satisfied with our response to your information request, section 28(3) of the Act provides you with the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate and review this response. However, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss any concerns with you first.

Ngā mihi

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