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Tēnā koe John

## Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request to Manatū Hauora (the Ministry of Health) on 23 November 2023 in response to a previous request (H2023031997 refers). You requested:

"...you have provided a list of board that will have vacancy for 2024. Can you please specify how many vacancy that will be for each of the board you have listed and exactly in which day that the member's term will expired. Also, may I kindly ask what stage is the End of Life Choice Review Committee recruitment is currently at? how many you have shortlisted and interviewed."

Please find appended to this letter a spreadsheet which lists in order of board name, all positions that are currently:

- filled by an appointee who is serving past their term expiry,
- filled by an appointee whose term will expire in 2024,
- vacant.

Please note that recruitment activity may not necessarily take place for all of these positions in 2024, however we have provided this information in order to share as much detail with you as possible. As you are already aware, the Ministry publicly advertises for statutory roles on Manatū Hauora careers website when recruitment activity is undertaken.

In regard to the End-of-Life Choice Review Committee, the application period has closed. At this stage six candidates have been shortlisted for Ministerial consideration. No interviews have taken place at this point.

I trust this information fulfils your request. If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact the OIA Services Team on: <a href="mailto:oiagr@health.govt.nz">oiagr@health.govt.nz</a>.

Under section 28(3) of the Act, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: <a href="mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz">info@ombudsman.parliament.nz</a> or by calling 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Manatū Hauora website at: <a href="www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/information-releases/responses-official-information-act-requests">www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/information-releases/responses-official-information-act-requests</a>.

Nāku noa, nā

Sarah Turner

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