

21 December 2023

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Ref: OIA-2023/24-0360

Dear James Webb

Official Information Act request relating to Minister Reti's conflicts of interest

Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), received on 10 December 2023. You requested:

"I request all information including emails, meeting minutes, memos and recollections of discussions between Christopher Luxon, Winston Peters and David Seymor on the decision to appoint Shane Reti as Minister of Health. Specifically, I wish to know what was discussed of Mr Reti's pecuniary interests in Reti Holdings Limited, Whangarei Doctors Limited, and Primecare Kensington Services Limited.

I request all information including emails, meeting minutes, memos and recollections of discussions between Christopher Luxon and Shane Reti regarding Mr Reti's pecuniary interests in Reti Holdings Limited, Whangarei Doctors Limited, and Primecare Kensington Services Limited.

I request all written communication received by Christopher Luxon from Shane Reti regarding conflicts of interest.

I request all communications, including emails, texts, and signal messages Christopher Luxon has received and sent since July 2023 regarding the Government's commitment to repeal the Therapeutic Products Act (2023). "

I believe the part of your request for information about Minister Reti's conflicts of interest is more closely connected to the functions of the Prime Minister, Rt Hon Christopher Luxon. Accordingly, I have decided to transfer this part of your request to Prime Minister (Rt Hon Christopher Luxon) under section 14(b)(ii) of the Act. The other parts of the request have not been transferred, and I will respond in due course.

The Prime Minister (Rt Hon Christopher Luxon) has the usual timeframes under the Act from receipt of this transfer to make a decision on your request.

Yours sincerely

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