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Ministry of Disabled People

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Tēnā koe Tanya

I refer to your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request of 20 March 2024 to Whaikaha - Ministry of Disabled People (Whaikaha), in which you asked:

During question time on 20 March, the Minister said she had been consulted by the Ministry on the decision to alter the settings in relation to the flexible funding. Please provide a copy of the advice that the Minister was referring to.

Whaikaha has proactively released the advice provided to the Minister for Disability Issues, along with other relevant material. For this reason, your request is partially refused under section 18(d) of the OIA, as the information is publicly available.

You will find the relevant documents on our website here: <u>Responses to OIA Requests</u> <u>| Whaikaha - Ministry of Disabled People</u>

Thank you for taking the time to write. If you wish to discuss this response with us, or if you are seeking any further information, please feel free to contact <u>OIA requests@whaikaha.govt.nz.</u>

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at <u>www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</u> or 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi nui

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