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Official Information Act 1982 request – Total amount of funding provided by Sport New Zealand to New Zealand Football and Football South, in 2020 and 2023.

Dear A.S

This letter responds to part of your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request received by Sport New Zealand (Sport NZ) on 27 April 2024 requesting the below information:

• Total amount of funding provided by Sport and Recreation New Zealand to New Zealand Football and Football South (separately) in 2020 and 2023.

The total amount of funding provided to New Zealand Football by Sport NZ:

Year	Total funding	
2020	\$2,875,000.00	
2023	\$1,897,094.26	

Sport New Zealand recognises and partners with the overarching entity, in this case is NZ Football, to deliver initiatives to its membership base. Football South is an affiliated member organisation to NZ Football and can receive benefits from the relationship that they have. This is not provided directly from Sport New Zealand to Football South.

As Sport NZ do not directly fund Football South, the second part of your request is refused under Section 18(e), as the information requested for total funding amount provided to Football South does not exist.

Please note that if you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the OIA. Information about how to contact the Ombudsman is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or you can phone 0800 802 602.

Kind regards,

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