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Tēnā koe Jackson

Thank you for your request to Kāinga Ora – Homes and Communities, dated 3 May 2024, under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

*How many contractors and consultants, including those providing professional services, were engaged or employed or have been engaged or employed from January 1, 2019, to May 4, 2024? For each consultant or contractor that has been engaged, please provide the following details:*

*Name of consultant or contractor*

*Type of service generally provided by the consultant or contractor Details of the specific consultancy or contract Budgeted and/or actual cost Maximum hourly and daily rates charged Date of the contract Date the work commenced Completion date Whether tenders were invited; if so, how many were received Whether there are proposals for further or following work from the original consultancy; if so, the details of this work?*

Please find attached a spreadsheet showing the numbers of consultants/contractors engaged or employed from 31 December 2020 to 31 May 2024. Kāinga Ora was formed on 1 October 2019. Therefore, the requested information prior to that date is not held.

We are refusing the details requested in the second part of your request, and information between 1 October 2019 and 31 December 2020 under section 18(f) of the Act as it would require substantial manual research and collation.

Some relevant information is published each year in the Annual Review of Kāinga Ora – Homes and Communities which you may find useful. The latest information can be found at:

- 2022/23 Annual Review of Kāinga Ora – Homes and Communities Questions 1 – 195 ([https://www.parliament.nz/resource/en-NZ/54SCSSC\\_EVI\\_31a30737-9955-4038-4a96-08dbfb701e36\\_SSC650/ed0f336f5344dbdb80406c1a8b839a2d1c2f8d62](https://www.parliament.nz/resource/en-NZ/54SCSSC_EVI_31a30737-9955-4038-4a96-08dbfb701e36_SSC650/ed0f336f5344dbdb80406c1a8b839a2d1c2f8d62)).

In particular, I refer you to Question 68. The Annual Reviews for previous years can be found at on Parliament's website at: <https://selectcommittees.parliament.nz>.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of my decision on your request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at <https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz/> or Freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that Kāinga Ora proactively releases its responses to official information requests where possible. Our response to your request may be published at <https://kaingaora.govt.nz/publications/official-information-requests/>, with your personal information removed.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'G. Stiven', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Gareth Stiven  
**General Manager Strategy Finance and Policy**