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Tēnā koe Marc

## Request for information

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request of 23 June 2024. You requested:

Does the extra 500 Police make allowance for the Police leaving the force. What is the total number of Police in NZ before the extra 500 was confirmed.

Yes, the 500 refers to the increase in the overall number of constables that will be available to Police.

On 27 November 2023 there were 10,211 full-time equivalent (FTE) constables in Police. This number will increase to 10,711.

Please note that as part of its commitment to openness and transparency, Police proactively releases some information and documents that may be of interest to the public. An anonymised version of this response may be publicly released on the New Zealand Police website.

Nāku noa, nā

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