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Ref: PMO OIA 114-2024-25

Dear Jimmy King

Official Information Act request: PM's media request diary

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request, received on 23 September 2024. You requested:

"Prime minister Christopher Luxon media request diary."

On 24 September 2024 you refined your request to the following:

"I would like it to be from March of this year to now. I am looking for his media request, how many request he has had to go on the radio or TV or how many interviews he has declined."

The following information is covered by your request and is publicly available on the Beehive website:

Item	Date	Document description	Website address
1	1 - 31 August 2024	Rt Hon Christopher Luxon Ministerial Diary Summary	https://www.beehive.govt.nz/sites/default/files/2024-09/Prime%20Minister%20proactive%20diary%20release%20-%20Aug%202024.pdf
2	1 - 31 July 2024	Rt Hon Christopher Luxon Ministerial Diary Summary	https://www.beehive.govt.nz/sites/default/files/2024-08/Prime%20Minister%20proactive%20diary%20release%20-%20Jul%202024.pdf
3	1 - 30 June 2024	Rt Hon Christopher Luxon Ministerial Diary Summary	https://www.beehive.govt.nz/sites/default/files/2024-07/Prime%20Minister%20proactive%20diary%20release%20-%20Jun%202024.pdf
4	1 - 31 May 2024	Rt Hon Christopher Luxon Ministerial Diary Summary	https://www.beehive.govt.nz/sites/default/files/2024-06/Prime%20Minister%20proactive%20diary%20release%20-%20May%202024.pdf
5	1 - 30 April 2024	Rt Hon Christopher Luxon Ministerial Diary Summary	https://www.beehive.govt.nz/sites/default/files/2024-05/Prime%20Minister%20proactive%20diary%20release%20-%20Apr%202024.pdf

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6	1 - 31 March 2024	Rt Hon Christopher Luxon Ministerial Diary Summary	https://www.beehive.govt.nz/sites/default/files/2024-04/Prime%20Minister%20proactive%20diary%20release%20-%20Mar%202024.pdf

Accordingly, I have refused your request for the documents listed in the above table under section 18(d) of the Act – the information requested is or will soon be publicly available.

I have assessed the extent of work to collate the remaining information you have requested. I have determined the manual work required to collate the information would impair efficient administration as the information requested is not held in an easily retrievable format. Accordingly, I am refusing your request under section 18(f) of the Act - the information requested cannot be made available without substantial collation or research. Before I reached this decision, I considered the factors covered in sections 18A(1) and 18B of the Act, and charging you for the information or consulting further with you would not allow the request to be answered.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

Yours sincerely


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