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Tēnā koe Andrew

Official information request regarding financial expenditure on Crown prosecutions
Our Ref: OIA353/1

1. I refer to your official information request of 13 January 2025 to the Ministry of Justice. Part of that request, namely for the “annual expenditure on the Crown Prosecution Services”, was transferred to us on 16 January 2025 to respond.
2. We are treating your request as referring to the funding provided to all service providers that undertake Crown prosecutions in New Zealand.
3. The table **enclosed** at the end of this letter sets out the amounts of funding for the 2021/22, 2022/23, 2023/24 and 2024/25 financial years, broken down by month. The 2024/25 amounts cover the period of July 2024 to January 2025 (year to date, **YTD**).

Proactive release

4. Please note that we may publish this response (with your personal details redacted), and any related documents, on Crown Law’s website if we decide proactive release of this information is or may be in the public interest. If you have any concerns about this, please let us know within 10 working days of the date of this letter.

Your right to an investigation and review

5. You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.
6. If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact publicprosecutionunit@crownlaw.govt.nz.

Nāku noa, nā

Crown Law

Philip Coffey

Manager, Public Prosecutions Unit

Transaction Year	Transaction Month	Transaction Amount
2021/2022	1/07/2021	3,388,054.03
	1/08/2021	3,328,512.06
	1/09/2021	7,336,372.99
	1/10/2021	3,318,109.25
	1/11/2021	3,389,439.96
	1/12/2021	3,313,349.42
	1/01/2022	3,278,285.26
	1/02/2022	3,273,750.00
	1/03/2022	3,273,750.01
	1/04/2022	3,273,932.21
	1/05/2022	3,281,438.57
	1/06/2022	3,273,749.99
2021/2022 Total		43,728,743.75
2022/2023	1/07/2022	3,597,978.01
	1/08/2022	8,826,365.39
	1/09/2022	5,306,554.01
	1/10/2022	5,281,416.66
	1/11/2022	5,292,803.13
	1/12/2022	5,308,641.19
	1/01/2023	5,290,884.99
	1/02/2023	5,297,985.61
	1/03/2023	5,281,416.65
	1/04/2023	5,281,416.38
	1/05/2023	5,348,464.78
	1/06/2023	5,285,519.73
2022/2023 Total		65,399,446.53
2023/2024	1/07/2023	5,468,711.13
	1/08/2023	10,749,642.81
	1/09/2023	6,230,693.65
	1/10/2023	5,987,956.01
	1/11/2023	5,989,024.60
	1/12/2023	6,121,820.14
	1/01/2024	5,986,833.34

	1/02/2024	6,068,563.12
	1/03/2024	5,987,477.33
	1/04/2024	5,988,167.34
	1/05/2024	6,151,634.67
	1/06/2024	6,050,492.67
2023/2024 Total		76,781,016.81
2024/2025	1/07/2024	6,519,621.84
	1/08/2024	12,289,652.80
	1/09/2024	5,799,301.64
	1/10/2024	5,811,703.06
	1/11/2024	5,796,410.67
	1/12/2024	5,939,892.57
	1/01/2025	5,793,666.69
2024/2025 Total		47,950,249.27
Grand Total		233,859,456.36