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Our ref: OIA 132378

Tēnā koe John

Official Information Act request: Application for Chief Executive Firearms Safety and Education New Zealand

Thank you for your email of 6 May 2026 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), information regarding the position of Chief Executive Firearms Safety and Education New Zealand. Specifically, you requested:

I noted,

Chief Executive Firearms Safety and Education New Zealand

<https://www.justice.govt.nz/about/statutory-vacancies/>

Applications close at 5.00 pm on Tuesday 5 May 2026.

May I ask how you called for public nomination and on what platform you have call for public nominations e.g. govt.jobs website. A copy of your ad and pay rate as well. Also, how many applications you have received for the role from the public and how many you have received from other nominating agencies such as TPK or Ministry of women etc for your role. How many you have shortlisted and how many you have interviewed.

I have separated out your request and responded to each part.

- 1) *how you called for public nominations and on what platform you have call for public nominations e.g. govt.jobs website.*

In response to your request, calls for expression of interest were made via the Ministry's website and on SEEK. The expression of interest form was also circulated to stakeholders and to the Public Service Commission.

- 2) *A copy of your ad and your pay rate as well. Also, how many applications you have received for the role from the public and how many you have received from other nominating agencies such as TPK or Ministry for women etc for your role.*

Seventeen expressions of interest have been received, and none from any external agency. a copy of the Ad is enclosed (see attached). The remuneration will be set by the Remuneration Authority once the legislation comes into force.

3) *How many have you have shortlisted and how many you have interviewed.*

Shortlisting for interviews has not yet taken place.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Ministry website at: [Official Information Act responses | New Zealand Ministry of Justice](#).

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28 of the Act. The Office of the Ombudsman may be contacted by phone on: 0800 802 602, by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz, or via the webform: [Make a complaint \(for members of the public\) | Ombudsman New Zealand](#).

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Wayne Newall', with a horizontal line underneath.

Wayne Newall
Manager, Appointments and Specialist Functions