



OIA-26-430

25 May 2026

Phillip Fry

[fyi-request-34625-03d09af0@requests.fyi.org.nz](mailto:fyi-request-34625-03d09af0@requests.fyi.org.nz)

Dear Phillip,

**Re: Official Information Act request regarding feedback and advice on ERO's school reports**

I refer to your email to the Education Review Office dated 6 May 2026 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA):

- 1. Any final evidence reviews, research syntheses, or literature reviews relied upon in developing the revised reporting framework.*
- 2. Final advice provided to the Minister of Education relating to the revised reporting framework, including simplified judgements or colour-coded summaries.*
- 3. Any final summaries or thematic analyses of stakeholder or parent feedback relating to the revised reporting format.*

Please find our answer to your questions below.

**1. Any final evidence reviews, research syntheses, or literature reviews relied upon in developing the revised reporting framework.**

This part of your request was answered in our previous response to you, which is attached for reference.

**2. Any final summaries or thematic analyses of stakeholder or parent feedback relating to the revised reporting format.**

**3. Final advice provided to the Minister of Education relating to the revised reporting framework, including simplified judgements or colour-coded summaries.**

Summaries and analysis of the feedback we received from parents and schools has already been made available on our website, with feedback from stakeholder groups being made available shortly. As noted in our previous response to you, all final advice provided to the Minister of Education regarding this work is also being proactively [released on our website](#).

I am therefore refusing your request under section 18(d) of the OIA, as the information is or will soon be publicly available.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests where possible. We do not publish requesters' personal information.



**EDUCATION REVIEW OFFICE**  
Te Tari Arotake Mātauranga

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 <http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz> or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Booyesen".

Shelley Booyesen  
**DCE – Review and Improvement Services**