



POLICE NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

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Dear Mr Burgess

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

I refer to your letter dated 11 February 2016 in which you requested information about Trade Me and your firearm license. In summary, you requested:

1. Whether Trade Me has the ability to check any firearms license information that you provide them against the records of firearms owners held by New Zealand Police.
2. If (1) is "yes", then:
 - i. What information can Trade Me obtain from New Zealand Police?
 - ii. How many times has Trade Me been provided with information?
3. All correspondence, either between Trade Me and New Zealand Police, or internally within New Zealand Police, that resulted in firearms owner data being provided to Trade Me.
4. Whether any other non-government organisations have access to the firearms license register, and if so, whom?

I have considered your request in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982.

In answer to (1) and (4), no organisations (non-government or otherwise) have access to the firearms license information held by New Zealand Police. Accordingly, (2) and (3) are not applicable.

Yours sincerely

Chris Scahill

Superintendent

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