



10 November 2017

Sam

Email: fyi-request-6783-91962948@requests.fyi.org.nz

Reference: OIA-2017/18-0156

Dear Sam

Official Information Act request relating to the recruitment of sworn police officers

I refer to your Official Information Act request received on 2 November 2017 which asked:

"I do volunteer with Community patrols New Zealand which is run along with New Zealand police. It is considered as a pathway to join NZ police. I have the physical fitness and all other requirements fulfilled except my visa because of which I am not able to become police officer. What's the need to call sworn officers from outside when you have people who are ready to join NZ Police who are living over here in New Zealand."

The information you have requested is more closely connected with the functions and responsibilities of the New Zealand Police. Accordingly, I have decided under section 14 of the Official Information Act to transfer your request to the New Zealand Police.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Anne Shaw'.

Anne Shaw
Director, Office of the Chief Executive