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Ref: DOIA 1718-0907

Tom Williams
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Dear Mr Williams

Thank you for your email of 18 January 2018 to the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (the Ministry) requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*Can you please tell me what it has cost The Ministry of respond to all requests made on behalf of the Tax Payers Union or by Jordan Williams over the current and previous 2 financial years.
Can you break this information down by financial year and into staff time and materials cost.*

The Ministry does not centrally record or report on the amount of staff time, or costs, involved in responding to individual requests under the Act. Therefore, I am refusing your request under section 18(e) of the Act, as the information requested does not exist.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of my decision to refuse your request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

Alan Witcombe
Manager
Ministerial Services