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Dear Thomas

I refer to your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request emailed on 22 October 2018, in which you have requested the following information:

- 1) *A list of current event type codes e.g. 4211 - Car conversion*
- 2) *A list of current incident codes e.g. 3T - Traffic stop*
- 3) *Result codes (K codes)*
- 4) *Status codes e.g. 10-7 – Arrived*
- 5) *Abbreviations for computer transactions e.g. QP - Query person*
- 6) *All two digit station codes and their associated stations e.g. AK - Auckland Central*
- 7) *Unit types and their definitions e.g. S - General duties Sergeant*

*Please also provide any policies relating to call signs and how these are allocated.*

Please find the attached document in response to your eight questions.

In response to question four there are a couple of obsolete codes that have been included – but are still used by a few officers. They are '10-4' where the official terminology is now 'say again'; and '10-6' which has changed to plain English 'change channel to...'

You have the right, under section 28 (3) of the OIA, to ask the Ombudsman to review my decision if you are not satisfied with the way I have responded to your request.

Yours sincerely



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