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Aruth John Smith

By email: fyi-request-9255-307ac4fa@requests.fyi.org.nz

Dear Aruth

Request for information under the Official Information Act 1982
Our Ref: OIA35/1

Thank you for your Official Information Act request, dated 13 December 2018, seeking the following information as per your email:

Could you please provide all policy documents relating to Maori language in your workplace, and in particular any policy which is aimed at improving or rewarding levels of te reo in the work place, and any correspondence in relation to such policies, and in addition the total cost of such policies to date or the projected cost of such policies to date, and in particular any correspondence or policy documents which relate to a decision not to adopt a policy to reward those who reach certain levels of proficiency in te reo in monetary terms.

The Crown Law Office has no specific policies relating to Te Reo Maori in the workplace, nor any specific policies aimed at improving or rewarding levels of Te Reo Maori in the workplace.

The Crown Law Office is committed to promoting competence and use of Te Reo Maori within the workplace, and has initiatives in place to do so.

The Crown Law Office does engage an external provider to provide Te Reo Maori language classes to team members.

An informal peer group - Te Reo Maori Ropu - exists within the Office to promote and encourage Te Reo Maori among team members and the Leadership Team.

Yours sincerely
Crown Law



Jen Nathan
Chief People Officer