



12 June 2018

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Email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

REQUEST UNDER THE OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT 1982

Thank you for your request dated 15 May 2018 made pursuant to the Official Information Act 1982 ("OIA").

Your Request

You have requested the following information:

Documents held by NZ Super Fund that relate to advice that was provided to Gerry Brownlee, at meetings between NZ Super Fund and Brownlee, in his capacity as the Minister for Canterbury Earthquake Recovery, relating to investment opportunities for NZ Super Fund...And any documents/memoranda kept that relate to what was discussed at any such meetings...If any such documents exist/any such meetings took place.

Our Response

Details of the information we have pertaining to your request, and our response in respect of that request, are set out in the table **enclosed** at Appendix 1 to this letter.

For your information, a meeting was held between NZ Super Fund CEO Adrian Orr and the Minister for Canterbury Earthquake Recovery on 2 June 2011.

We have withheld portions of certain documents on the basis that we have a good reason for doing so under section 9(2)(a) of the OIA.

Section 9(2)(a) – "Protect the privacy of natural persons". Staff names, contact details and identifying information pertaining to individuals other than senior managers has been withheld in order to protect the privacy of natural persons. We cannot see any public interest in, or public benefit from, the release of this personal information. Information regarding the identity of these individuals is not required for the purposes of transparency and accountability of the Guardians' activities.

General

You have the right to seek a review by the Ombudsmen's Office of our decision to withhold the information. Please note that we may choose to publish our response to your request on our website at www.nzsuperfund.co.nz.

Yours sincerely

Mark Fennell
Acting Chief Investment Officer

Table 1

	Document Reference	Date	Document Name	Decision
1	<u>215756</u>	28/02/2011	Email between NZSF staff - "RE: IN CONFIDENCE Draft e-mail"	Released in full except for names and contact details, which have been withheld under section 9(2)(a)
2	<u>218410</u>	01/03/2011	Email between NZSF - "Christchurch advice and some lateral thinking"	Released in full except for names and contact details, which have been withheld under section 9(2)(a)
3	<u>221979</u>	09/03/2011	Emails between NZSF - "Christchurch Earthquake"	Released in full except for names and contact details, which have been withheld under section 9(2)(a)
4	<u>221138</u>	16/03/2011	Email between NZSF - "MED and quake assistance – arm snatched off"	Released in full except for names and contact details, which have been withheld under section 9(2)(a)
5	<u>221137</u>	16/03/2011	Email between NZSF and Ministry of Economic Development - "RE: NZ Superfund and earthquake"	Released in full except for names and contact details, which have been withheld under section 9(2)(a)
6	<u>244359</u>	07/06/2011	File Note: Meeting with Gerry Brownlee, 2 June 2011	Released in full except for names and contact details, which have been withheld under section 9(2)(a)