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[REDACTED] Te Pāti Māori

Received by email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Official information request regarding use of te reo Māori

I refer to your official information request dated 23 November 2023 for all information on:

- Any changes to policy on the use of te reo Māori in either internal or external communications since October 13 2023
- Any internal communications (including emails, texts, messages and memos) relating to the use of te reo Māori since October 13 2023
- Any advice received or prepared on the use of te reo Māori since October 13 2023

We have not changed our policy on the use of te reo Māori, nor have we communicated, received, nor prepared advice regarding this policy, during the timeframe specified. Therefore we decline your request under section 18(e) of the OIA as the information requested does not exist.

Our Communications and Engagement Policy sets out our high level approach to te reo Māori and can be found on our website: <https://nzsuperfund.nz/publications/policies/>

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

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests where we consider the request to be a material one. Our response to your request will be published shortly at <https://www.nzsuperfund.nz/publications/disclosures/oia/>, with your personal information removed.

Yours sincerely



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