



TE TAI ŌHANGA
THE TREASURY

Reference: 20200093

5 March 2020

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your Official Information Act request, received on 27 February 2020.
You requested:

I am wondering if you have had Clarke Gayford MC any events for your organisation, or an organisation which comes under your umbrella since 26th October 2017?

If so:

- 1. How was he contracted?? (eg, directly or through a talent management agency?)*
- 2. How much money paid for the event? And who was it paid to?*
- 3. Who was involved in the decision making for contracting his services?*
- 4. If he, or the service provider he was contracted through, was paid for the event, how was the payment funded?*
- 5. If he was used, please provide all communications pursuant to his appointment.*

You also sent your request to Export Credit at the Treasury. This response addresses both requests.

The Treasury has not had Clarke Gayford MC any events, nor has any organisation that comes under its umbrella.

Accordingly, I have refused your request for the documents listed in the above table under section 18(g) of the Official Information Act:

- the information requested is not held by the Treasury and I have no grounds for believing that the information is either held by another agency or connected more closely with the functions of another agency.

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This reply addresses the information you requested. You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jacqui Bridges". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J".

Jacqui Bridges
Manager, Communications and Engagement