

Reference: 20230077



TE TAI ŌHANGA
THE TREASURY

03 March 2023

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your Official Information Act request, received on 16 February 2023. You requested:

“Under the Official Information Act (OIA), I am requesting the information held on all individualised funding models in education (both ones that have been considered and ones that have been put in place) including the Equity Index, Highest Needs Review, and Public Achievement Information.

With regards to each of these examples, please supply all work to date on:

- how each model facilitates a tailored, flexible approach to meeting the needs of individuals*
- how the outcomes of each approach have been measured, including for individuals, and what the measurement shows*
- if/how the long-term impacts of each model have been calculated, e.g., fiscal costs, cost savings, future liability or asset(s) created.”*

In our view, it would have been necessary under section 14 of the OIA to transfer your request to The Ministry of Education because the information you requested is held by that agency. However, we are aware that you have already made your request to The Ministry of Education and therefore we have not transferred it.

We do not hold any additional relevant information that is not already held by The Ministry of Education.

You have the right to complain to the Ombudsman about this decision. You can expect a reply from The Ministry of Education in due course.

Please note that this letter (with your personal details removed) and enclosed documents may be published on the Treasury website.

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

Yours sincerely

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