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Dear [REDACTED]

**Response to your official information request**

Thank you for your official information request received on 10 May 2023 - requesting bona vacantia land vested in the last three to four years, and a list of Māori Land Leases held by Toitū Te Whenua.

Please find the information requested attached as two separate excel spreadsheets of data:

1. Bona vacantia registrations, from 1 January 2019 onwards
2. Māori Land Leases, as at 30 May 2023

Please note the first spreadsheet shows bona vacantia registration related to leases shown in black, with other secondary interests, for example, mortgage, encumbrance, easement in gross, shown in red. There were no records identified where the freehold ownership of land itself was affected under the bona vacantia provisions.

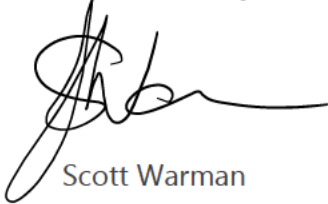
If you wish to discuss this with us, please feel free to contact;

- Patrick Griffin, Lead Advisor, Property Rights (07 858 5482)

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](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note, this response letter outlining our decision on your request, **with your personal details withheld**, and any attached documentation will be published on the Toitū Te Whenua Land Information New Zealand's website. This is likely to be published by 30 June 2023

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'S. Warman', written over a horizontal line.

Scott Warman  
Group Manager – Property Rights

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