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Tēnā koe [REDACTED],

**Response to your official information request**

Thank you for your official information request received on 12 January 2024 for information regarding surplus Crown properties for sale or lease.

Specifically, you have requested for disclosure of "all property in New Zealand for lease or sale, suitable for developing and other areas in the South Island for a sky-field." You have also asked for information regarding "who would be best to file an O.I.A. to, for all properties for lease or sale, that LINZ doesn't have the responsibility for."

As advised in your previous request regarding Crown land for sale or lease received 7 December 2023, we can only consider Crown properties that are being administered or disposed of by LINZ.

In response to your request:

- We have looked through the disposals being managed by LINZ for properties that are currently for sale on the open market. We can confirm that LINZ currently has four properties for sale on the open market. Please find attached details of these properties.
- We do not compile or hold information showing what Crown properties are "surplus" or what Crown properties are available for lease and this part of your request is refused under section 18(e) of the Official Information Act 1982 as the information requested does not exist.
- Regarding your request for disclosure of properties suitable for developing, we do not hold or compile information about what properties are suitable for development and this part of your request is refused under s18(g) of the Official Information Act 1982 as the information requested is not held by LINZ and we have no grounds for believing that the information is held by another agency.

- We do not hold details of properties that other agencies deem to be surplus or are currently disposing of on the open market. You will need to contact the agencies you are interested in directly.

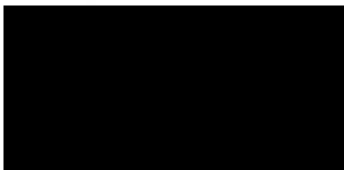
If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact:

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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 website. This is likely to be published by 29 February 2024

Nāku noa, nā



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