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Dear 

Response to your official information request

Thank you for your official information request received on 30 May 2024 for copies of:

- All initiatives, if any, that were submitted but not funded through Budget 2024.
- All correspondence, if any, with the Minister of Finance's Office, including but not limited to letters, emails and text messages, regarding initiatives that were submitted but not funded through Budget 2024.
- All correspondence, if any, with your Minister's Office, including but not limited to letters, emails and text messages, regarding initiatives that were submitted but not funded through Budget 2024.
- All initiatives, if any, that were scaled for Budget 2024, including the initial funding request of the initiative and the final funded level.
- All correspondence, if any, with the Minister of Finance's Office, including but not limited to letters, emails and text messages, regarding initiatives that were scaled for Budget 2024
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Toitū Te Whenua Land Information New Zealand (LINZ) did not submit any budget initiatives through Budget 2024. Therefore, the request is refused under section 18(g) of the Official Information Act as the information/documentation requested does not exist.

I would also like to note that LINZ have interpreted the last three parts of your request to relate to budget initiatives that were submitted in Budget 2024 that were approved but scaled back.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact ministerialsupport@luinz.govt.nz

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, 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 31 July 2024

Yours sincerely



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