

9 May 2022

Request for Official Information responded to under the Local Government and Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA) (the Act) - reference: OIR 2122-251

I refer to your information request we received on 3 May 2022 for the following:

Can I please have a copy of the minutes from the recent Chief Executive Performance and Employment Committee meeting.

## Council response regarding your request

The last meeting of the Chief Executive's Performance Review committee occurred on 10 March 2022. That meeting was held as a public excluded meeting in reliance on sections 7(2)(a) (privacy of natural persons) and 7(2)(i) (to enable the council to carry on without prejudice or disadvantage negotiations) of LGOIMA. Council is still satisfied that those grounds continue to apply in relation to the minutes of the meeting.

In the Council's view the reasons for withholding these details are not outweighed by public interest considerations in section 7(1) favouring their release.

You have the right to request the Ombudsman to review this decision. Complaints can be sent by email to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz, by fax to (04) 471 2254, or by post to The Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely

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