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Hi David

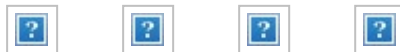
Many thanks for letting me know.

Ngā mihi
Emma

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Kia ora Emma,
We have had a look at this and don't think there are any redactions need to be made from our perspective.

Kā mihi
David

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Ministry staff work flexibly by default. For me, this means I work from Ōtautahi/Christchurch. It also means you may receive an email outside of usual working hours. Please respond at a time that is convenient for you.



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Kia ora koutou

The overseas investment decision in respect of South Island Resource Recovery Limited's acquisition of land in Waimate (for construction and operation of a waste-to-energy plant) was made on 18 March 2024.

At this stage it is **not in the public domain** but will be once it has been published to the LINZ website on 24 April 2024. The decision must be kept in strict confidence until it is public. I'm expecting we're likely to get some OIA requests for the National Interest report. Anticipating this, I'd like to get any requested redactions sorted in advance to enable LINZ to more easily meet our OIA deadlines.

Therefore, please find attached the National Interest report (with draft redactions of certain national security matters) for your review. Please provide me with any submissions, on behalf of your agency, to redact information from this report. These must be provided to me no later

than **5pm on Wednesday 17 April.**

Requests for redactions must make direct reference to the provisions of the [Official Information Act 1982](#) that you consider justify the withholding of the information. Please consult the [practice guidelines](#) issued by the Office of the Ombudsman if in doubt.

There is an obligation on Toitu te Whenua to comply with the OIA and only withhold information where there are clear grounds to do so. We assess each request for redaction on its own merits and nothing in this guidance is intended to restrict the assessment of individual redaction requests.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Many thanks!

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