



3 October 2023

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Tēnā koe 9(2)

Thank you for your email of 7 September 2023 requesting the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

Could you please provide the report, status of the work and summary of findings from the Pukekohe Integrated Catchment Management Plan. The work was tendered by MfE on GETS as 1181-01-RFP and we understand the contract to carry out the work was commissioned about October 2022.

The Ministry for the Environment (the Ministry) has not yet received the report you have requested, as work remains ongoing. Therefore, I am refusing your request under section 18(e) of the Act, as the information requested does not exist. The Ministry will provide you with a copy of the report once it is available for release. Please note that you can expect to receive it before the end of this year.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Office of the Ombudsman of my decision relating to this request, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. The relevant details can be found on their website at: www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

Please note that due to the public interest in our work the Ministry for the Environment publishes responses to requests for official information on our [OIA responses page](#) shortly after the response has been sent. If you have any queries about this, please feel free to contact our Ministerial Services team: ministerials@mfe.govt.nz.

Yours sincerely

Wes Patrick
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