

OIA Ref: 2022-004



30 March 2022

Tēnā koe

Thank you for your email of 3 March 2022 requesting under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

"1) all board meeting minutes from September 2021 onwards; and 2) unredacted copies of all board meeting minutes currently listed on the climate commission's website (11 December 2019 - 11 August 2021 inclusive)."

Regarding the first part of your request, these minutes are currently undergoing preparations for release and we expect that they will be available 6 weeks from the date of this letter, if not earlier.

In relation to the second part of your request, for unredacted copies of all board meeting minutes 11 December 2019 - 11 August 2021, the Commission is currently reviewing these minutes to ascertain if the intial redactions made at the time of proactive release still apply.

These reviewed minutes will be made available on the Commission's website, within 6 weeks from the date of this letter, if not earlier. We are happy to contact you to let you know once these are live on the website.

As a result your request is refused under section 18(d) of the Act as this information is soon to be publicly available on the Commission's website.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Office of the Ombudsman of this decision, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Official Information Act 1982. The relevant details can be found on their website at: <a href="www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a>

Please note that the Commission has a policy of proactive release of OIA responses to help others have access to more information. As a result, this letter will shortly be published on the website with your name and contact details redacted to protect your privacy.

Ngā mihi









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