

Ref: OIA 2023-019

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24 August 2023

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I am writing about your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request of 17 August 2023 for the following information:

What NZ Government Acts and statutory Law requires private businesses to:

- 1) convert their businesses to adapting to the adverse effects of climate change.*
- 2) convert their businesses to Carbon Zero/nutrition*

We believe the information you have requested is more closely connected with the functions of another department. Section 14 of the Act requires us to transfer your request to that agency in these circumstances.

I am therefore notifying you that we have transferred your request to the Ministry for the Environment. You will hear from the Ministry for the Environment in due course.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review of this transfer by the Office of the Ombudsman. The relevant details can be found on their website at: www.ombudsman.parliament.nz

Regards,
Alisdair Armstrong
Advisor, Government Services