

3 May 2019



Dear 

Official information request W19-333

I refer to your official information request dated 21 March 2019, transferred to Wairarapa DHB on 17 April 2019.

Request:

I request all information regarding funding, contracts, communications, applications for funding, contracts, provision of services and all other matters, made to the Ministry of Health or any of its subsidiaries including District Health Boards, to an organisation known as 'Nga Hau E Wha', including a copy of the contract number 356272/00 - Management and co-ordination of Nga Hau E Wha (NHEW), and all previous contracts with this organisation.

I further request all information held by the Ministry of Health or any of its subsidiaries including District Health Boards regarding the Chairperson (or former Chairperson) Victoria Roberts, and others associated with NHEW including Jak Wild and Tui Taurua Peihopa - in particular any and all communication with Tui Taurua Peihopa or anyone from the organisation NHEW regarding the letter sent to her in about June last year regarding her misleading claim to being a "clinician".

Response:

Wairarapa DHB has not communicated in any form with the Ministry of Health or any subsidiaries regarding the organisation known as 'Nga Hau E Wha' or any of the above named individuals. To the best of our knowledge, the provider and the individuals are not known to Wairarapa DHB.

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If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact:

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Yours sincerely



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