

20 March 2023

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Thank you for your email of 20 February 2023 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

- Information relating to how many vendors/sellers of private house sales to Kainga Ora were required to sign or enter into non-disclosure (confidentiality) agreements, over the past two years
- Information relating to how many vendors/sellers of private house sales to crown entity subsidiaries of Kainga Ora were required to sign or enter into non-disclosure (confidentiality) agreements, over the past two years.

It is not standard practice for Kāinga Ora to require non-disclosure agreements and Kāinga Ora does not record this information.

I am refusing your request under section 18(g) of the Act on the grounds that the information requested is not held by the Kāinga Ora and I have no reason for believing it is held by another department.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that Kāinga Ora proactively releases our responses to official information requests where possible. Our response to your request may be published at <https://kaingaora.govt.nz/publications/official-information-requests> with your personal information removed.

Yours sincerely



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