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Tēnā koe Mark

Thank you for your email of 26 January 2021, requesting information about the Department of Corrections' Custodial Practice Manual. Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA).

You requested:

- 1. Is the redacted copy of the Custodial Practice Manual available on the Department of Corrections website up to date?
- 2. If the redacted copy of the Custodial Practice Manual available on the Department of Corrections website is not up to date, please release an updated copy of the Custodial Practice Manual.

The Custodial Practice Manual currently on Corrections' website is not up to date. A current version of the Custodial Practice Manual will be available on Corrections' website by the end of March 2021.

I trust the information provided is of assistance. Should you have any concerns with this response, I would encourage you to raise them with Corrections. Alternatively, you are advised of your right to also raise any concerns with the Office of the Ombudsman. Contact details are: Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Ngā mihi

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