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Tēnā koe Zane

Official Information Act request- Parenting order applications

Thank you for your email of 2 September 2022 requesting, under the Official information Act 1982 (the Act), information regarding parenting order applications. Your request was as follows:

- I request the following statistics by Application type
- Parenting Order
- Variation of Parenting Order
- Discharge of Parenting Order

Also the filing method:

- Without notice (ex-parte)
- On notice

Also each application outcome:

- Application granted
- Dismissed or struck out
- Lapsed, withdrawn or discontinued
- Application still active

The above stats required for the above application types filed between 2010 until 2022 grouped by year / and by gender

Pursuant to section 15(1) of the Act, I can advise you that the information you have requested will be released to you. However, the information has not yet been finalised and will be provided to you as soon as it is ready. I apologise for any inconvenience this delay may cause you.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Act to complain to the Ombudsman about this response. The Ombudsman may be contacted by emailing <u>info@ombudsman.parliament.nz</u>.

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