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Tēnā koe Hemant

Request for information

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (OIA) request of 15 October 2022, in which you requested:

- *What information (if any) and in what situations is a person legally required to provide information to the police if they are NOT under arrest.*

The information you have requested is publicly available on Police's website:
<https://www.police.govt.nz/advice/personal-community/new-arrivals/english/rights>
I have quoted the relevant section for you below:

*Your rights with Police
If you are questioned, detained or arrested by Police, your legal rights are:*

*you can talk to a lawyer privately, without having to wait to see them
you can choose not to make a statement
you can ask why you are being questioned, detained, or arrested.*

You may wish to speak with a lawyer if you need legal advice pertaining to a specific situation.

The following website may also be of use to you: <https://communitylaw.org.nz/community-law-manual/chapter-31-police-powers/being-questioned-by-the-police/>

Nāku noa, nā



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