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Peter King

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Tēnā koe Peter

Request for information 2023-188

I refer to your request for information dated 12 July 2023, which was received by Greater Wellington Regional Council (Greater Wellington) on 12 July 2023. You have requested the following:

“1) Total patronage counts (both inbound and outbound) for all main stops along the Wellington to Palmerston North express (diesel) service line by month”

Greater Wellington is transferring this part of your request pursuant to section 12 of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 on the basis that this information is not held by Greater Wellington but is more likely to be held by KiwiRail. This is because the Capital Connection service between Wellington and Palmerston North is operated by KiwiRail.

Further correspondence will therefore come to you directly from KiwiRail. In this regard the 20 working day time limit for providing you with a substantive response to this request will begin from the day after KiwiRail receives this transfer.

If you have any concerns with the decision(s) referred to in this letter, you have the right to request an investigation and review by the Ombudsman under section 27(3) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987.

Nāku iti noa, nā



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