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Dear John

Thank you for your Official Information Act (OIA) request, received on 25 March 2024. You requested the following:

1. *May I ask how you called for public nomination and on what platform you have call for public nominations e.g. govt.jobs website.*
2. *How many applications you have received from the public and how many you have received from other nominating agencies such as TPK or Ministry of women etc for your role.*
3. *How many you have shortlisted and how many you have interviewed.*
4. *Please also supply the copy of your advertisement.*

Appointment and reappointment of Crown Entity chairs, deputy chairs and directors are made by the responsible minister under the Crown Entities Act 2004 (section 28 and 29). We also reference the Board Appointment and Induction Guidance issued by the Public Service Commission, 'if a further term is being recommended, departments don't need to follow the full process as for an initial appointment, but need to be able to assure their minister that appointment for a further term is the most appropriate option. The Appointment and Honours Committee submission should clearly state the process that has been followed and the reasons for reappointment being proposed.' In this instance the responsible minister approved the elevation and reappointment of incumbent board members and this was supported by Cabinet.

#### **Parts 1+4**

***May I ask how you called for public nomination and on what platform you have call for public nominations e.g. govt.jobs website.***

***Please also supply the copy of your advertisement.***

The Treasury has not called for public nominations. I am therefore refusing part 4 of your request under section 18(g) of the OIA because the information is not held.

#### **Part 2**

***How many applications you have received from the public and how many you have received from other nominating agencies such as TPK or Ministry of women etc for your role.***

The Treasury has not received any applications from the public or from other nominating agencies as there was no call for nominations.

**Part 3**

***How many you have shortlisted and how many you have interviewed.***

The Treasury has not shortlisted or interviewed any applicants as there were no applications.

Please note that this letter (with your personal details removed) may be published on the Treasury website.

This reply addresses the information you requested. You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision.

Yours sincerely

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