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Tēnā koe Athina

Your request for Official information, reference: HNZ00030714

Thank you for your request which was transferred to Te Whatu Ora on 4 October 2023, asking for the following which has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

“I request all information regarding funding, contracts, communications, applications for funding, provision of services and all other matters made between any government ministry and the service provider known as insideOUT.”

On 27 October 2023, we contacted you to refine your request due to the initial broad scope. You responded with the following:

“Thank you for your prompt reply and for helping me get clearer on my request, much appreciated. Yes, the information you propose to provide (contracts and funding for these services), the total funding provided for each service from commencement of the contracts to 4 October 2023. would satisfy my request.”

The total funding for Rainbow Wellbeing Ākonga Service from 16 August 2021 to 30 September 2023 is \$966,983.99 (excluding GST).

The total funding for competency training for InsideOUT Service from 1 June 2021 to 30 June 2023 is \$329,500 (excluding GST). It is important to note that the figure for competency training is to June 2023 due to payments being made every six months.

Please find the requested contracts attached as the following documents:

- **Document 1** - Rainbow Ākonga Wellbeing Support contract
- **Document 2** - Rainbow Competency Training contract

Some information has been withheld under the following sections of the Act:

- 9(2)(g)(ii) – to protect employees from improper pressure or harassment
- 9(2)(b)(ii) - to protect information where the making available of the information would be likely unreasonably to prejudice the commercial position of the person who supplied or who is the subject of the information.

How to get in touch

If you have any questions, you can contact us at hnzOIA@health.govt.nz.

If you are not happy with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman. Information about how to do this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phoning 0800 802 602.

As this information may be of interest to other members of the public, Te Whatu Ora may proactively release a copy of this response on our website. All requester data, including your name and contact details, will be removed prior to release.

Nāku iti noa, nā



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