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Tēnā koe Mike

Thank you for your email of 19 March 2024 to the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE) requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), the following information:

*Do MBIE and Trading standards still undertake Fuel Quality Monitoring and release annual reports as there does not seem to be one published since 2022?*

*If there is one can it be released?*

Trading Standards still administers New Zealand's fuel quality monitoring programme, testing samples to ensure fuel retailers and suppliers are complying with the regulations. As part of this role, Trading Standards prepares annual fuel quality monitoring reports which give an overview of the results of the previous year's testing programme.

The latest report, which covers the period from July 2022 to June 2023, will be published and publicly available on the Trading Standards website on 11 April 2024 at:

<https://fuelquality.tradingstandards.govt.nz/about-us/fuel-quality-monitoring-annual-reports/>.

If you have any further questions on the content of the report once you have reviewed it, please direct them to: [tradingstandards@mbie.govt.nz](mailto:tradingstandards@mbie.govt.nz).

MBIE is therefore refusing your request under section 18(d) of the Act, as the information requested will soon be publicly available on 11 April 2024.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request or this response, or if you require any further assistance, please contact [OIA@mbie.govt.nz](mailto:OIA@mbie.govt.nz).

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā

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