

18 February 2019



Email: [Redacted]

Dear [Redacted]

### Official Information Act Request

Thank you for your request of 30 January 2019, under the Official Information Act 1982, for the following information:

For each year, please break this down into how much of each annual spend was used in each of the following categories:

1. Facebook and Facebook-owned properties (Instagram, WhatsApp)
2. Social media influencers
3. Other social media (e.g. Snapchat)
4. Search engine marketing (broken down by which search engine was used e.g. Google, Bing, Yahoo! etc)
5. Other online advertising
6. Television
7. Radio, including podcasts
8. Outdoor (e.g. billboards, buses)

We have provided the information requested in the table below.

	2018/19 Dec YTD	2017/18 Jun YTD	2016/17 Jun YTD	2015/16 Jun YTD	2014/15 Jun YTD	2013/14 Jun YTD
Facebook & FB owned properties (Instagram, WhatsApp)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Social media influencers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other social media (e.g. Snapchat)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Search engine marketing (broken down by which search engine was used e.g. Google, Bing, Yahoo etc)	-	-	4,000.00	-	-	-
Other online advertising	-	973.50	1,446.50	1,410.00	1,170.00	990.00
Television	-	-	-	-	-	-
Radio, including podcasts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Outdoor (e.g. billboards, buses)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other (mainly recruitment ads)	1,140.50	7,246.00	6,786.51	20,299.49	5,207.20	13,055.70
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,140.50</b>	<b>\$ 8,219.50</b>	<b>\$12,233.01</b>	<b>\$ 21,709.49</b>	<b>\$ 6,377.20</b>	<b>\$14,045.70</b>

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If you require further assistance or believe we have misinterpreted your request, please contact [REDACTED] in the Office of the Chief Executive, email [REDACTED]@nzqa.govt.nz or telephone (04) 463 [REDACTED].

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Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R Wood', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Russell Wood  
Acting Chief Executive