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RE Official information request CDHB 10517

I refer to your email to Ministry of Business, Innovation & Employment dated 27 November 2020, and subsequently partially transferred to us on 23 December 2020, requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB. Specifically:

1. Which govt agencies that currently fund NZSL interpreting do not have contracts in place with suppliers and are instead operating in an ad-hoc manner?

The Canterbury District Health Board uses qualified NZSL interpreters, however we do not have a contract for this with any one supplier. Instead the interpreters are contracted on an individual basis.

I trust this satisfies your interest in this matter.

Please note that this response, or an edited version of this response, may be published on the Canterbury DHB website after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely

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