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RE Official Information Act request CDHB 10608

I refer to your email dated 17 May 2021 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB regarding contractors employed to find significant savings at CDHB. Specifically:

- 1. A list of all the actions recommended to achieve savings, including the amount saved by each recommendation?**

A range of initiatives identified were provided to the Canterbury DHB to develop further into their programme of work, which includes reviewing our consumable spend, reviewing our short-term loan equipment processes, our contractor management spend and other external costs.

- 2. A list of all the actions that will be undertaken by the Canterbury DHB (CDHB) to achieve savings in light of advice received from the Auckland-based contractor, including the amount estimated to be saved by each action?**

Each initiative is being reviewed and assessed by the Canterbury DHB's "Accelerating our Future" team. This includes assessment of the return on investment and the development of project briefs and implementation plans, including calculation of any anticipated savings.

- 3. An estimated cost, if any, associated with the actions required to achieve savings.**

Within each agreed initiative any cost required to achieve a saving will be identified and prioritised against the return on investment. Costs are yet to be quantified.

I trust that 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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