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RE Official Information Act request CDHB 10044

I refer to your email dated 23 February 2019 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from Canterbury DHB. Specifically:

- 1. Please provide me with any:**
 - a) Report, b) Paper, c) Published material, d) Submission documentation to consent hearings which have been written by Dr Alistair Humphrey since January 2014 in relation to quarry activities.**
- 2. Please provide me with any: Documentation originating from Dr Alistair Humphrey pertaining to the health risks associated with quarry dust, PM10, PM2.5 or crystalline silica. Time frame to be from January 2014 until 22/02/2019.**

TO NOT INCLUDE ANY PERSONAL MEDICAL RECORDS, MEDICAL NOTES, OR ANYTHING THAT MAY REQUIRE REDACTION DUE TO THE CONFIDENTIAL NATURE OF THE INFORMATION

We are declining to provide the information requested going back five years under section 18(f) of the Official Information Act as in our opinion to do so would entail substantial collation and research well in excess of 20 hours and much of this information would require us to seek the consent of pertinent organisations and people involved before sharing or redacting information. I am advised by Dr Humphrey that submissions on RMA applications are publicly available documents on the ECAN or TLAs' (Territorial Local Authority) websites.

www.ecan.govt.nz/quarries; <https://www.ccc.govt.nz/> <https://www.selwyn.govt.nz/>

Dr Humphrey has also advised that he is more than happy to personally assist (by phone if need be) in a more specific request.

As you were advised in our response to your earlier Official Information Act request (CDHB 9887 28/8/2019) Environment Canterbury is the lead agency and information regarding quarry activities is regularly updated and publically available on their website.

If you disagree with our decision to withhold information you may, under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act, seek an investigation and review of our decision from the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz; or Freephone 0800 802 602.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carolyn Gullery', with a long, sweeping underline.

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