




## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL CHAMBERS

13 February 2024



Ref: OIA OIA-2023/24-0496

Tēnā koe 

### **Official Information Act request: Questions about NZ Constitution**

Thank you for your Official Information Act request received on 6 February 2024. You requested:

*Where in our Constitution does it give a New Zealand Citizen the right to call him/her self a King/Queen over any group of New Zealand Citizens?""*

Your question does not fall within the Official Information Act 1982, as it asks for an explanation rather than information. Therefore, I am refusing your request as it is not a request under section 12 of the Act.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision under section 28(3) of the Act.

This response will be published on the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet's website during our regular publication cycle. Typically, information is released monthly, or as otherwise determined. Your personal information including name and contact details will be removed for publication.

Nāku noa, nā



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