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Reference: OIA-2017/18-0606

Dear 

Official Information Act request relating to CERA records regarding payments made to Matapopore Charitable Trust since 2014

Thank you for your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request received on 11 May 2018. You requested the following:

Can you please tell me how we can access the Cera records? I understand DPMC is in charge of them.

This request was made after you received the response to your first request for

How much money, if any, has your organisation paid to the Matapopore Charitable Trust since 2014, and for what services?(OIA-2017/18-0495 refers)

We have interpreted your latest request to be for the amount paid to the Matapopore Charitable Trust by the Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Agency (CERA) since 2014 and the services those payments were made for.


The total amount paid by CERA to the Matapopore Charitable Trust between 2014 and 18 April 2016 (when CERA was disestablished) was \$975,755.66 (GST exclusive).

The services Matapopore Charitable Trust provided included governance and cultural advice, arts consultancy, panel expertise, and project management. These services were provided across a range of anchor projects, including the Bus Interchange, Metro Sports Facility, Convention Centre, Earthquake Memorial, South Frame, Performing Arts Precinct, and the Ōtākaro Avon River Precinct.

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

Yours sincerely


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Director