



EXECUTIVE COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request: Project Manager, COVID-19 Response Recognition

Thank you for your Official Information Act request received on 2 April 2022. You requested:

“What is the budgeted salary band for [the Project Manager, COVID-19 Response recognition] role?”

The Government is establishing an award to recognise people who have contributed to New Zealand’s COVID-19 response. This is led by the Cabinet Office’s Honours Unit in the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.

We are hiring a project manager to lead the establishment and roll out of the award through all stages, and in close collaboration with key agencies. The Project Manager, COVID-19 Response recognition role will be located in the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet, and will report to the Deputy Secretary of Cabinet (Constitutional and Honours). The position is fixed term for 12 months.

The anticipated appointing range for the role is \$132,000 to \$155,000, depending on the skills and experience of the successful candidate.

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.

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