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Request from:	Jack Boltar – National
Information requested:	3 Waters debt and assets information
Response by:	Simon Bastion, Chief Executive

22 December 2022

Jack Boltar
National

Via Email: jack.boltar@parliament.govt.nz

Dear Jack

Official information request for 3 Waters debt and assets information

I refer to your official information request dated 29 November 2022 for 3 Waters debt and asset information.

You have asked for the following information:

- 1. Copies of any estimates on the value of three waters debt and assets as at 30th June 2022 and any consolidated reporting undertaken by officials?**

	1/07/2024	1/07/2024
	Reforecast	RFI
	\$000	Estimate
	\$000	\$000
3 Waters Debt		
Water	3,786	2,657
Waste water	9,074	5,041
Stormwater	3,224	1,476
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	16,084	9,174
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3 Waters Assets		
Water	44,495	30,943
Waste water	30,909	17,858
Stormwater	23,890	16,276
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	99,294	65,077
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- a. How does the above information compare and contrast to estimates provided to in 2020 both at a territorial authority and consolidated level?**

There is no consolidated reporting therefore we are refusing this part of your request under section 17(e) that the document alleged to contain the information requested does not exist or, despite reasonable efforts to locate it, cannot be found,

2. Copies of Three waters proposed staff transition guidelines that outline the transfer and recruitment of staff to the water services entities including those prepared in July 2022 and updated in late 2022, including any information re implementation timelines?

This will be answered by the Department of Internal Affairs directly.

There is no charge in supplying this information to you.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

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If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Mary-anne Bell, Senior Administration Officer at LGOIMA@westlanddc.govt.nz, 03 756 9091.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a series of overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Simon Bastion | Chief Executive

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