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By email: matiu@newstalkzb.co.nz

REF: OIA-1643

Dear Mr Workman

Response to OIA request

Thank you again for your request for information which was transferred from Southern District Health Board to NZ Health Partnerships under section 14 of the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). The part of the request transferred to us on Tuesday, 8 November 2016 was as follows:

- A copy of the 15-year food service contract awarded to Compass Group New Zealand last year.
- Two questions about the Food Service Agreement (FSA), namely:
 - What is the overall value of the 15-year food service contract awarded to Compass?
 - Are any costs incurred by Compass in changing sub-contractors from LSG Sky Chefs to Frozen Fresh set to be passed on to the Southern DHB?

As requested, please find attached a copy of the FSA. Please note some information in the agreement has been withheld as per the Act.

With regards to your two questions:

- \$497 million net present value is the cost of the contract to the six District Health Boards over its 15-year duration.
- Costs incurred by Compass in changing from LSG Sky Chefs to Frozen Fresh **cannot** be passed on to Southern DHB under the FSA.

Your rights

Please note that under section 28(3) of the OIA, you have the right to complain to the Ombudsman and to seek an investigation and review of this decision. Email: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz

Yours sincerely



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