

12 February 2020

Official Information Request No. 8140006230
(Please quote this in any correspondence)

By email: [redacted]@taxpayers.org.nz

Dear [redacted]

Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987

Re: Panuku staff remuneration over \$250,000

I refer to your email, which we received on 13 January 2020 requesting details of Panuku staff with a total remuneration package over \$250,000. For your ease of reference, I have included your questions with the response.

- 1. The job titles of staff, ordered by seniority, with a total remuneration of equal to or more than one quarter of a million dollars annually, as at 30 September 2019.**

Please refer to the following list of positions, ordered by tiers, and the associated annual salary bands as at 30 September 2019.

Position titles are withheld under section 7(2)(a) of the LGOIMA to protect the privacy of the individual staff members.

Tier	Position level	Salary Band
1	CEO	\$560,000 - \$569,999
2	Division Manager	\$450,000 - \$459,999
2	Division Manager	\$360,000 - \$369,999
2	Division Manager	\$350,000 - \$359,999
2	Division Manager	\$340,000 - \$349,999
2	Division Manager	\$310,000 - \$319,999
2	Division Manager	\$250,000 - \$259,999
3	Department Manager	\$260,000 - \$269,999
3	Department Manager	\$250,000 - \$259,999

As changes have taken place in the organisation since 30 September 2019, please find below the current picture as at 8 January 2020.

Tier	Position level	Salary Band
1	CEO	\$500,000 - \$509,999
2	Division Manager	\$360,000 - \$369,999

2	Division Manager	\$350,000 - \$359,999
2	Division Manager	\$350,000 - \$359,999
2	Division Manager	\$250,000 - \$259,999

2. “The amount each of those persons is remunerated annually.”

The above provided annual salaries in \$10,000 bands are in line with our annual report approach. We are unable to provide specific salaries in combination with job titles as this would prejudice Panuku’s remuneration system and Panuku’s ability to negotiate senior salaries that reflect potential contribution, skills and experience, and market conditions for that particular role.

Therefore, this information is withheld under section 7(2)(a) and (i) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA).

Should you believe Auckland Council has not responded appropriately to your request, you have the right by way of complaint, under section 27(3) of the LGOIMA, to apply to the Ombudsman to seek an investigation and review of the decision.

If you have any further queries, please contact me on 09 301 0101 quoting Official Information Request No. 8140006230.

Yours sincerely



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