

10 November 2021

By email to:		
Dear		

OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT REQUEST 2021/38

On 28 October 2021 you made a request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) for:

The bulk nomination schedule for the 2020 elections at your Wellington Office, the individual nomination forms (if they exist) of: 1) Naisi Chen; and 2) Brooke van Velden; and 3) Arena Williams; and 4) Sarah Pallet

As we advised in our email to you on 30 August 2021, bulk nomination consent to nomination forms are held at our national office in Wellington in accordance with section 146L of the Electoral Act 1993. We are not able to arrange for specific consent forms to be made available to you in digital form.

You may wish to arrange for a representative in Wellington to inspect these documents, make notes, and pass these notes to you. This representative must be a registered elector. Please let us know if you would like to make a time for someone to inspect the forms in Wellington at a time that suits.

In the interests of transparency, we release responses to Official Information Act requests every three months. We will publish this response with your personal details redacted on <u>www.elections.nz</u>.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Act to make a complaint to the Ombudsman if you are not satisfied with the response to your request. Information about how to do this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phoning 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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