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Our ref: OIA 115907

Tēnā koe Bob

## Official Information Act request: Arise Church

Thank you for your email of 16 September 2024, to the Ministry of Justice (the Ministry), requesting under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), information regarding Arise Church. Specifically, you requested:

All correspondence received, sent, or held by the Department of Justice (including relating to the Minister of Justice, and any related documentation) since January 2022 to current day, in regards to Arise Church (including any related correspondence from David Farrier).

The Ministry has undertaken a search for correspondence within the scope of your request and has not identified any information. I am therefore refusing your request under section 18(e) of the Act as the information does not exist or cannot be found.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Ministry website at: justice.govt.nz/about/official-information-act-requests/oia-responses/

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Act. The Office of the Ombudsman may be contacted by email to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by phone on 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā

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