

TEACHING COUNCIL

NEW ZEALAND | Matatū Aotearoa

10 May 2019

Tēnā Koe

RESPONSE TO YOUR REQUEST UNDER THE OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT

Thank you for your email of 5 May 2019 requesting information under the Official Information Act 1982. You asked the following:

1. *What was the total (average) number of FTE staff employed?*
2. *What was the total (average) number of FTE permanent staff employed?*
3. *What was the total (average) number of staff employed on fixed term contracts of:*
 - *less than 9 months?*
 - *more than 9 months?*
4. *What was the amount spent on HR staffing disputes including legal fees and settlement costs?*
5. *What was the number of staffs who raised Personal Grievances against the Teachers Council / Education Council?*
6. *What was the number of resignations received from permanent staff?*
7. *How many staff earned:*
 - *Under \$100,000*
 - *\$100,000 – 130,000*
 - *\$130,000 – 160,000*
 - *\$160,000 – 200,000*
 - *Over \$200,000?*
8. *Please also provide the answers to the above questions for the following time periods:*
 - *1 July 2014 - 30 June 2015*
 - *1 July 2015 - 30 June 2016*
 - *1 July 2016 - 30 June 2017*
 - *1 July 2017 - 30 June 2018*
 - *1 July 2018 - 31 December 2018*

I have responded to each question in Document 1 attached to this letter. Where I have left the answers blank in this response it is because we have no information on this. I hope that this information is sufficient for your purposes. However, if you are not satisfied, you have the right to seek an investigation and review of this response by the Ombudsman who can be contacted by writing to: The Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143, or emailing:

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info@ombudsman.parliament.nz. A complaint to the Ombudsman can also be made online at <http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz/make-a-complaint/make-a-complaint-now>

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jeremy France', written in a cursive style.

Jeremy France
Deputy Chief Executive



Document 1. Response to request for information under the OIA.

Year/Question	13/14	14-15	15-16	16-17	17-18	Jul - Dec 2018
Total no of FTE staff employed	54	55	54	67	81	88
Total no of FTE permanent staff employed	50	51	40	60	77	85
Total number of staff employed on fixed term contract of less than 9 months	0	0	9	2	0	2
Total number of staff employed on fixed term contract of more than 9 months	4	4	5	5	4	1
Amount spent on HR staffing disputes including legal fees & settlement costs						
Number of staff who raised PG against the Council						
Number of resignations received from permanent staff	10	7	6	17	17	5
How many staff earned under \$100000	46	52			59	63
How many staff earned \$100000- \$130000	2	3			14	13
How many staff earned \$130000 -\$160000	4	4			5	7
How many staff earned \$160000- \$200000	0	1			2	2
How many staff earned over \$200000	1	0			3	3