From: BDC Lgoima

To:

Subject: Official Information Request for Graphic Designers Employed Ref: 031/23

**Date:** Tuesday, 16 May 2023 11:38:33 am

Dear

We refer to your official information request dated 24 April 2023 for Request for Graphic Designers Employed

The information you have requested is marked below:

- How many in-house graphic designers does your organisation employ? 0
- What is the budget for in-house/employed graphic designers? N/A
- How much has been spent on contracting external graphic designers? \$10,672
  - If external contractors have been used, why did your organisation not use your employed/in-house graphic designers?

Not enough business need for a permanent employee for these services

- If employed/in-house or external contractors have been used to design a report in the last 12 months, was the report made public? Yes
  - If not, why not?

N/A

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at <a href="https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a> or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact the Buller District Council by return email to <a href="mailto:lgoima@bdc.govt.nz">lgoima@bdc.govt.nz</a>.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests where possible. Our response to your request will be published shortly at <a href="https://bullerdc.govt.nz/district-council/your-council/request-for-official-information/responses-to-lgoima-requests/">https://bullerdc.govt.nz/district-council/your-council/request-for-official-information/responses-to-lgoima-requests/</a> with your personal information removed.

## Kind regards

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