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Dear [REDACTED]

**Re: Official Information Act (OIA) Request – Clarke Gayford**

I am writing in response to your email dated 27 February in which you requested the following information:

*Under the Official Information Act 1982 I am wondering if you have had Clarke Gayford MC any events for your organisation, or an organisation which comes under your umbrella since 26<sup>th</sup> October 2017? If so:*

- 1. How was he contracted?? (eg, directly or through a talent management agency?)*
- 2. How much money paid for the event? And who was it paid to?*
- 3. Who was involved in the decision making for contracting his services?*
- 4. If he, or the service provider he was contracted through, was paid for the event, how was the payment funded?*
- 5. If he was used, please provide all communications pursuant to his appointment.*

We confirm that Clarke Gayford has not been an MC for any events for Te Papa during this timeframe.

If you are not satisfied with this response you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us please contact either Frances Lawrence or Zoë Genet, at [OIA@tepapa.govt.nz](mailto:OIA@tepapa.govt.nz).

Yours sincerely

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