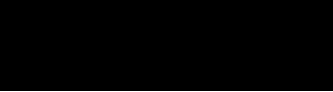


1 March 2024



Dear 

LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL INFORMATION AND MEETINGS ACT Request: 2024-06

Thank you for your email of 7 February 2024 to the Carterton District Council requesting the following information:

"I note that there are 22 EPB [Earthquake Prone Buildings] in Carterton still on the register that had a deadline for wrks to be completed by July 2021.

- 1. What has Carterton District Council's plan of attack been with getting these buildings remediated?*
- 2. Has CDC issued infringement fees to any building owners?*
- 3. Has CDC applied to the District Court for an order allowing them to carry out seismic work that has not been completed to deadline?"*

Your request has been considered under the Local Government Official Information and Meeting Act 1987 (the Act). My response to your request is in the number order below.

1. What has Carterton District Council's plan of attack been with getting these buildings remediated?

Council is waiting on a statutory judgement from the courts as to how to progress with building owners who have not upgraded their buildings.

2. Has CDC issued infringement fees to any building owners?

No, Council have not issued any infringement fines to building owners.

3. Has CDC applied to the District Court for an order allowing them to carry out seismic work that has not been completed to deadline

No, Council have not applied to the District Court for an order to undertake seismic work.

Please note, the Council proactively publishes LGOIMA responses on our website. As such, we may publish this response on our website after five working days. Your name and contact details will be removed.

Thank you again for your email. If you have further questions please feel free to contact our media team in the first instance at comms@cdc.govt.nz. If you are unsatisfied with my response, you have the right to ask an Ombudsman to review it. You can do this by writing to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely



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Carterton District Council

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