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OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

I refer to your official information request of 13 April for:

- *A copy of your current procurement policy;*
- *The link where it is supposed to be published; and*
- *If it is not currently published, an explanation for this and the date by which publication will occur.*

The Ministry is aware of the updated guidance from August 2025 and has been working with the Ministry of Business, Innovation & Employment to update its procurement policy. Regarding your request for a copy of the Ministry's procurement policy, we will provide you a copy of our policy once it has been finalised but no later than two weeks from the date of this letter. Additionally, once finalised a copy of the procurement policy will be published on the Ministry for Women website.

Official Information Act responses

Please note that this response, with your personal details redacted, may be published on the Ministry's website. If you have any concerns or comments related to this, please let us know by emailing ministerialservicing@women.govt.nz, within two weeks of the date of this letter.

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 www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

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