Dear [Name],

Thank you for your email of 19 June 2018 to the Ministry for Children—Oranga Tamariki (Oranga Tamariki), requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

1. Has Oranga Tamariki contracted MethCon to do any work in the past two years?
2. If so, how much has been spent on MethCon, and for what purpose? Please provide details of the service or project.

Oranga Tamariki has not contracted MethCon to do any work since it was established on 1 April 2017. Oranga Tamariki’s predecessor (Child, Youth and Family) did not contract MethCon to do any work between 16 June 2016 and 31 March 2017.

Information about methamphetamine is available on our Practice Centre website at the following link: [https://practice.orangatamariki.govt.nz/policy/assessment-and-decision-making/key-information/methamphetamine/](https://practice.orangatamariki.govt.nz/policy/assessment-and-decision-making/key-information/methamphetamine/).

Oranga Tamariki intends to make the information contained in this letter available to the wider public shortly. We will do this by publishing this on our website. Your personal details will be deleted and Oranga Tamariki will not publish any information that would identify you as the person who requested the information.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact [OIA_Requests@ot.govt.nz](mailto:OIA_Requests@ot.govt.nz).

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If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to ask an Ombudsman to review this decision. Information about this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by contacting them on 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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