DHB Office
Braemar Campus

Private Bag 18
Nelson, New Zealand

5 November 2020

[redacted]
Via Email: [redacted]

Response to a request for official information

Dear [redacted]

Thank you for your request for official information received 3 November 2020 by Nelson Marlborough Health (NMH)[1] where you seek the following information:

1. ***Any briefing papers or emails between DHB staff relating to the arrival of Chemist Warehouse in your district and its effect on patient care?***

NMH response: The DHB does not have a Chemist Warehouse and we are not aware of any correspondence held pertaining to any proposed Chemist Warehouse in the district.

This response has been provided under the Official Information Act 1982. You have the right to seek an investigation by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or free phone 0800 802 602.

If you have any questions about this decision please feel free to email our OIA Coordinator OIArequest@nmdhb.govt.nz I trust that this information meets your requirements. NMH, like other agencies across the state sector, supports the open disclosure of information to assist the public's understanding of how we are delivering publicly-funded healthcare. This includes the proactive publication of anonymised Official Information Act responses on our website from 10 working days after they have been released. If you feel that there are good reasons why your response should not be made publicly available, we will be happy to consider.

Yours sincerely

Dr Peter Bramley
Chief Executive

[1] Nelson Marlborough District Health Board