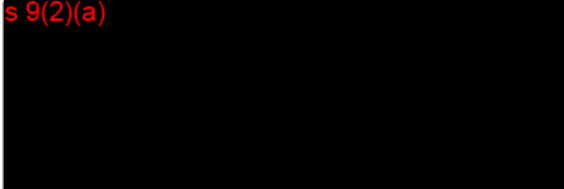




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Tēnā koe

Thank you for your email to Kāinga Ora – Homes and Communities on 18 March 2022 requesting information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Kāinga Ora transferred the following part to Te Tūāpapa Kura Kāinga – Ministry of Housing and Urban Development (the Ministry) on 23 March 2022:

*All and any statistics, correspondence and documentation around severe housing deprivation and homelessness in Ruapehu.*

We produce a series of resources that track our progress on public and transitional housing supply, homelessness programmes and other housing support. One of the resources we publish quarterly are the Public Housing Regional Factsheets, which provide a localised view of each Territorial Authority in Aotearoa New Zealand, including Ruapehu District. These reports are published on the Ministry's website here: [www.hud.govt.nz/research-and-publications/statistics-and-research/public-housing-reports/](http://www.hud.govt.nz/research-and-publications/statistics-and-research/public-housing-reports/).

On its website, the Ministry has published heatmaps of housing outcomes across Aotearoa, including severe housing deprivation by Territorial Authority. These maps show how places are performing relative to specific benchmarks and to one another. They are published here: [www.hud.govt.nz/research-and-publications/statistics-and-research/heatmaps-of-housing-outcomes/](http://www.hud.govt.nz/research-and-publications/statistics-and-research/heatmaps-of-housing-outcomes/).

You have the right to seek an investigation and review of my response by the Ombudsman, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. The relevant details can be found on the Ombudsman's website [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz).

As part of our ongoing commitment to openness and transparency, the Ministry proactively releases information and documents that may be of interest to the public. As such, this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on our website.

Yours sincerely

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