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By email: [redacted]
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Dear [redacted]

Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) on 10 September 2020 for:

> *"an indicative count for the number of medicinal cannabis cultivation licences issued so far."*

The number of medicinal cannabis cultivation licences issued to date is nine, and these were issued between 4 August to 17 September 2020.

I trust this information fulfils your request. Under section 28(3) of the Act you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to review any decisions made under this request.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Ministry of Health website.

Yours sincerely

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