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By email: **s 9(2)(a)**
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Tēnā koe **s 9(2)(a)**

Response to your request for official information

Thank you for your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) to Manatū Hauora (the Ministry of Health) on 27 January 2023, for information regarding nominations and appointments to Te Kaunihera Rata o Aotearoa (Medical Council of New Zealand). Please find a response to each part of your request below.

How did you call for public nomination and on what platform you have call for public nominations?

These roles were publicly advertised on the Manatū Hauora careers website and jobs.govt.nz/ from 13 December 2022 to 29 January 2023.

how many applications you have received from the public and how many you have received from other nominating agencies such as TPK or Ministry of women etc. further? how many you have shortlisted?

As Manatū Hauora is still receiving nominations from nominating agencies, I am unable to advise on the final number of applications received. However, I can advise that the Ministry has received 47 applications and nominations so far. Further, Manatū Hauora has not begun its shortlisting process for these vacancies yet.

Please also supply the current member's term of appointment?

This information is publicly available on the New Zealand Gazette website at the following address: www.gazette.govt.nz/notice/id/2022-go4834.

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. The Ombudsman may be contacted by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling 0800 802 602.

Please note that this response, with your personal details removed, may be published on the Manatū Hauora website at: www.health.govt.nz/about-ministry/information-releases/responses-official-information-act-requests.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. Turner', written in a cursive style.

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