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Dear Ella Dickson

I refer to your email of 12 June 2025 requesting, under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), the following information about New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF) spending on *micro-mobility and mode shift initiatives*.

The total spending by NZDF on micro-mobility or mode shift initiatives (e.g. e-scooters, e-bikes, bike racks, EV shuttles, shared mobility services, cycling infrastructure) in the last three financial years.

A list of all contracts or suppliers engaged to support these initiatives, including the contract value and scope of services or equipment supplied.

The locations (bases, camps, or facilities) where micro-mobility assets or services have been deployed or trialled.

Any business cases, internal strategy documents, or environmental assessments used to justify investment in micro-mobility or broader transport mode shift within NZDF.

Any partnerships with external agencies (e.g. Waka Kotahi, Ministry for the Environment) that support or co-fund NZDF's mode shift initiatives.

There is no additional information to that provided in the response to Rhys Hurley of the Taxpayers' Union (OIA-2025-5282)¹. I apologise for the significant delay in providing this response.

You have the right, under section 28(3) of the OIA, to ask an Ombudsman to review this response to your request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that responses to official information requests are proactively released where possible. This response to your request will be published shortly on the NZDF website, with your personal information removed.

Yours sincerely

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¹ <https://www.assets.nationbuilder.com/taxpayers/pages/13/attachments/original/1744183524/OIA-2025-5282.pdf?1744183524>