

22 April 2024

File Ref: OIA 48448

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### Official Information Act request

Thank you for your information request dated 9 April 2024. You asked for the following information:

- *What is the total amount of sponsorship given by Tui Ora to WOMAD in 2023 and 2024.*
- *Who received the complimentary access tickets that come with sponsorship of this event?*

Your request has been considered in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). We are refusing your request under section 18(g) of the Act, as the information requested is not held by Te Puni Kōkiri.

Tui Ora is a current Whānau Ora partner with the Whānau Ora Commissioning Agency (WOCA). However, in accordance with the devolved commissioning model of Whānau Ora, Te Puni Kōkiri does not hold a direct contractual relationship with Tui Ora. This means that Te Puni Kōkiri does not have oversight of the day-to-day activities or contractual arrangements of Tui Ora, including spending or sponsorship agreements.

I trust my response satisfies your request.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that Te Puni Kōkiri publishes some of its OIA responses on its website, after the response is sent to the requester. The responses published are those that are considered to have a high level of public interest. We will not publish your name, address or contact details.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact us at [oiia@tpk.govt.nz](mailto:oiia@tpk.govt.nz).

Ngā mihi

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Grace Smit', written in a cursive style.

Grace Smit  
Hautū, Te Puni Rangapū ā-Rohe me Whakahaere | Deputy Secretary, Regional  
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