



Level 2
119 Ghuznee Street
P O Box 9744
Wellington 6141
New Zealand

info@nzonair.govt.nz
www.nzonair.govt.nz

Tel: 04 382 9524
Fax: 04 382 9546

21 January 2022

Annie Weston

By email: received from FYI website

Tēnā koe Annie

Official Information request and response

Thank you for your request for further information under the Official Information Act ("OIA") dated 16 December 2021. This was in response to the OIA reply we issued you via the [FYI.org.nz website here](https://www.fyi.org.nz).

You have requested:

Can you please confirm which Govt body monitors and evaluates content outcomes and assesses journalist's performances

NZ On Air monitors the delivery of projects that it funds, to the agreed contract outcomes of each project. The arbiters of what constitutes a breach of journalistic standards are the [Broadcasting Standards Authority](#) and the [NZ Media Council](#). Information on their remit and processes for complaints can be found on each entity's website. It is not NZ On Air's role to monitor individual performance of journalists, as this is key to the employment relationship between the employer and journalist.

For your information, funding provided by NZ On Air for all successful projects is [searchable](#) on our website. You can also [sign up](#) to receive our regular industry newsletter via our website.

You have the right to refer this response to the Ombudsman if you are dissatisfied with it. More information on how to do this is [here](#). NZ On Air proactively releases information in accordance with the Government's commitment to the Open Government Partnership National Action Plan. This includes publishing responses to requests for information under the OIA. Please note that this response (with your name removed) will be published on the NZ On Air website shortly and will remain on our website for 12 months.

Thank you for your interest in our work.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sharon Kerry', with a long, sweeping underline.

Sharon Kerry
HEAD OF CORPORATE SERVICES

Connecting and reflecting our nation