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Dear [REDACTED],

**Official Information Act (1982) Request**

I write in response to your Official Information Act request dated 18 June 2018. You requested the following information:

1. **Has the District Health Board (including Public Health Units etc.) contracted MethCon to do any work in the past two years?**
2. **If so, how much has been spent on MethCon, and for what purpose?**
  - a. **Please provide details of the service or project.**

A review of our Accounts systems shows that Counties Manukau DHB has made no payments to Methcon Group Limited in the last two year. In the Auckland region, public health services are provided via Auckland Regional Public Health Service (ARPHS) on behalf of the region.

I trust this information satisfactorily answers your query. If you are not satisfied with this response you are entitled to seek a review of the response by the Ombudsman under section 28(3) of the Official Information Act.

Please note that this response or an edited version of this may be published on the Counties Manukau DHB website.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gloria Johnson", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Gloria Johnson  
**Chief Executive (Acting)**