



# *West Coast District Health Board*

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### **RE Official information request WCDHB 9206**

We refer to your email dated 30 August 2018 requesting the following information under the Official Information Act from West Coast DHB. I note your request was clarified on 30 August 2018 as below:

**The full breakdown of costs associated with the West Coast DHB Christmas Party 2017, including but not limited to, the cost of the alcohol, venue hire, entertainment, food, and the ham. Please include total costs.**

**1. Question relates to:**

- **WCDHB Board Christmas Party 2017**

The West Coast DHB Board did not have a Christmas Party in 2017.

- **WCDHB Staff Christmas Party 2017**

There is no Staff Christmas Party per se, the West Coast DHB does have a staff 'thank you' meal timed around the Christmas period, with one held at Grey, Buller and Reefton hospitals. (No alcohol is permitted at these meals). The total cost of these Christmas functions in 2017 was \$3,856.

I trust that this satisfies your interest in this matter.

Please note that this response, or an edited version of this response, may be published on the West Coast DHB website after your receipt of this response.

Yours sincerely

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