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Dear Hilary

I refer to your request for information regarding Delta Utilities Ltd and advise as follows:

How many people does Delta employ?

*As at December 2015, Delta employed 559 full time, fixed term or casual staff.*

How many vehicles do they own, by category?

*As of January 2016, Delta owned 221 motor vehicles comprising 70 Mowers, 14 Elevated Platform Vehicles, 4 Forklifts, 13 Excavators, 13 Tractors, 88 Trucks, 8 Loaders, 9 bikes, 1 Grader and 1 Car.*

*Please note: These figures do not include plant items such as trailers and caravans. The remainder of Delta's fleet are mostly light commercial vehicles (cars, utilities and vans) and are leased.*

How many Delta vehicles have a component of private use/are available for staff to use to drive to and from home?

*As of January 2016, 37 Delta vehicles were available for private use by employees as part of their employment conditions. This number does not include the vehicles that are taken home for business purposes. Delta's business operations span wide geographic areas including remote locations. For that reason, it is most efficient for many field based operations staff to drive directly from home to the place they will next be working. Also, due to the limited space available for vehicle storage at Delta's depots throughout the South Island, it is a condition of employment for many operational staff that they garage a company vehicle at home.*

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