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Hamish McNeilly Reporter Stuff

E-mail: <u>Hamish.mcneilly@stuff.co.nz</u>

Dear Hamish

Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act (LGOIMA) Request – 112 Somerville Street

I refer to your e-mail of 26 March 2019 requesting all information that the Council holds on a former resident of 112 Somerville Street, Dunedin.

I advise that pursuant to section 7(2)(a) of LGOIMA to protect the privacy of natural persons and section 6(a) that releasing the information would be likely to prejudice the maintenance of the law, including the prevention, investigation, and detection of offences, and the right to a fair trial your request has been declined.

As we have declined your request you are advised that you have the right to seek a review by the Office of the Ombudsmen.

Yours faithfully

Jennifer Lapham

Governance Support Officer