



18 November 2020

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Dear [Redacted]

**Official Information Act Request**

The Ministry of Health transferred your Official Information Act request regarding Pacific representation on DHB boards to Northland DHB on 6 November 2020.

*Could you please answer how many DHB Board members have Pacific heritage, and how many DHB Board Chairs have Pacific heritage? Pacific heritage in this regard is defined as self-identification as having any Pacific heritage.*

Northland DHB has no board members who self-identify as having Pacific heritage.

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If you have any queries relating to Northland DHB's response to your information request please contact me.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nick Chamberlain', written over a white background.

**Dr Nick Chamberlain**  
**Chief Executive**