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Dear John McDonald

**Request for Information – Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (the Act)**

We refer to your request dated 24 June 2024 for:

*How many cameras with automatic number plate recognition capability have been installed on roads, streets, intersections, traffic lights, light posts, and other Council property with Hutt City Council's approval in the last five years?*

*How many cameras with automatic number plate recognition are operating in Hutt City with the Hutt City Council's approval?*

*Does the Hutt City Council own these cameras, lease these cameras, or are they owned by another company?*

*For the cameras operating on roads, streets, intersections, traffic lights, light posts, and other Hutt City Council property which are owned by companies rather than Hutt City Council, what are the names and NZBN numbers for those companies.*

*Which third parties does Hutt City Council provide data, images, or footage collected with cameras operating on roads, streets, intersections, traffic lights, light posts, and other Hutt City Council property?*

*Does Hutt City Council provide data, images, or footage to Auror Limited, Datacom Group Ltd, vGRID, SaferCities, or Safe City Group Limited?*

*How many cameras does Hutt City Council have in 2024 which are supplying data, images, or footage to vGRID, SaferCities, and/or Safe City Group Limited?*



*How many cameras does Hutt City Council have in 2024 which are supplying data, images, or footage to Auror Limited?*

*How many cameras does Hutt City Council have in 2024 which are supplying data, images, or footage to Datacom Group Ltd?*

*Does Hutt City Council have a commercial relationship with Auror Limited and what was the dollar value of contracts and total financial transactions (revenue and expenditure) with Auror Limited in the 2022/2023 financial year?*

*Does Hutt City Council have a commercial relationship with Datacom Group Ltd and what was the dollar value of contracts and total financial transactions (revenue and expenditure) with Datacom Group Ltd in the 2022/2023 financial year?*

*Does Hutt City Council have a commercial relationship with Safe City Group Limited and what was the dollar value of contracts and total financial transactions (revenue and expenditure) with Safe City Group Limited in the 2022/2023 financial year?*

**Response:**

Council has 47 CCTV City Safety cameras. None of these have an automatic number plate recognition function.

City Safety CCTV footage is provided to police and insurance companies. They must provide an insurance complaint number, or police need to provide a file number or event number. Council does not give out footage to individuals.

Council does not provide CCTV data / footage to Auror Limited, Datacom Group Ltd, vGRID, SaferCities, or Safe City Group Limited.

Council has no contracts, nor do we supply footage, with Auror Limited, Datacom Group Ltd, vGRID, SaferCities, or Safe City Group Limited.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

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[www.huttcity.govt.nz/council/contactus/make-an-official-information-act-request/proactive-releases](http://www.huttcity.govt.nz/council/contactus/make-an-official-information-act-request/proactive-releases)

Yours sincerely

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