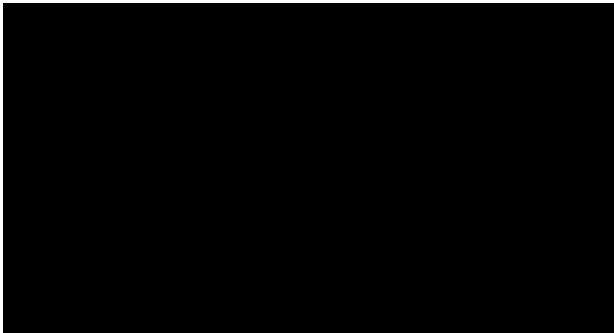


28 July 2022



Official Information Act #21.218 – Price of fuel from 1 April 2016 to 1 April 2022

1. We refer to your request received on 30 June 2022 for information about the weekly price of fuel from 1 April 2016 to 1 April 2022. You requested:
 - 1.1 the weekly 91 unleaded fuel and diesel Auckland Terminal Gate Price (TGP) data for Z Energy, BP and Mobil between 1 April 2016 and 1 April 2022; and
 - 1.2 the weekly 91 unleaded fuel and diesel retail sale price for Z Energy, BP and GAS stations in Auckland between 1 April 2016 and 1 April 2022.
2. We have treated this as a request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA).

Our response

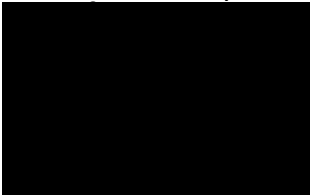
3. We have decided to grant your request, in part.
4. We have provided the weekly Z Energy, BP and Mobil's Terminal Gate Price (TGP) of 91 unleaded fuel and diesel from August 2021 to April 2022 (**attached**).
5. We note that your request asks for TGP information for 91 unleaded fuel and diesel from 1 April 2016 to 1 April 2022. However, the obligation to publish TGPs under the Fuel Industry Act 2022 only took effect from August 2021.¹ The Commission holds TGP data from August 2021, and we have provided this information.
6. The Commission does not hold the information you requested in point two of your request (set out at [1.2] above), that is, the weekly 91 unleaded fuel and diesel retail

¹ Fuel Industry Act 2020, s 9; Fuel Industry Regulations 2021, r 5.

sale price for Z Energy, BP and GAS stations in Auckland between 1 April 2016 and 1 April 2022.

7. We will be receiving some of the information requested as part of the first quarterly information disclosure under Part 3A of the Fuel Industry Regulations 2021. Fuel importers are required to disclose to the Commission daily standard retail prices at each retail site, meaning the Commission will receive this information in respect of Z and BP retail sites from next month.² There is no corresponding obligation on retailers to disclose this information, meaning we do not (and will not) hold the information you have requested in relation to GAS.
8. If you are not satisfied with the Commission's response to your OIA request, section 28(3) of the OIA provides you with the right to ask an Ombudsman to investigate and review this response. However, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss any concerns with you first.
9. Please note the Commission will be publishing this response to your request on its website. Your personal details will be redacted from the published response.
10. Please do not hesitate to contact us at oia@comcom.govt.nz if you have any questions about this request.

Yours sincerely



OIA and Information Coordinator

² Fuel Industry Regulations 2021, r 17L(4).