

26 June 2020

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By email only [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

**Official Information Act #19.181 - Simone Anderson**

1. We refer to your request received on 11 June 2020 for a copy of the complaint received by the Commerce Commission (the Commission) about Simone Anderson, including the identity of the complainant.
2. We have treated this as a request for information under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA).

**Our response**

3. We have decided to provide a copy of the complaint and withhold the complainant's identity, under section 9(2)(a) of the OIA to protect the privacy of natural persons. The complainant is an individual.
4. A copy complaint is below:

**ENQ0540432**

**30 May 2020**

Describe your concerns: SIMONE ANDERSON PRETSCHER -Selling gifted clothing and accessories to nz public via facebook and claiming to donate money received to charity. Evidence of donations not transparent. Concerns around tax evasion, false advertising, misleading the public etc.

5. We consider that good reason exists for withholding the complainant's identity and this is not outweighed by other considerations which would make it desirable, in the public interest, to make the information available (section 9(1) of the OIA).
6. 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.

7. Please note the Commission will be publishing this response to your request in the Official Information Act register on our website.<sup>1</sup> Your personal details will be removed from the published response.
8. Please do not hesitate to contact us at [uia@comcom.govt.nz](mailto:uia@comcom.govt.nz) if you have any questions about this request.

Yours sincerely

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OIA Coordinator

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<sup>1</sup> <https://comcom.govt.nz/about-us/requesting-official-information/oia-register>