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Dear 9(2)(a)

Thank you for your request, received on 8 July 2019, for the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*How many people within the various schools of law in NZ, have received an 'A grade' over all of the PBRF rounds undertaken. I ask, as I have received an A grade in all of the PRBF rounds since they first started, and I am wondering how many other people have achieved the same result. I do NOT want any names or even institutions, just a number, if at all possible.*

There are six researchers in the law subject area who received an 'A grade' in all four PBRF Quality Evaluations undertaken in 2003, 2006, 2012 and 2018.

The TEC intends to publish its response to this request on our website with your personal details removed. Consistent with the Act, we are publishing responses in the interests of transparency and accountability, and to improve access to official information.

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.

Yours sincerely

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