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Thank you for your email of 30 December 2019 to Kāinga Ora – Homes and Communities requesting the following information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*Can you please confirm of these 814 approved dwellings, how many are universally accessible? i.e. are accessible to all people, regardless of age, disability or other factors.*

As advised in a previous response dated 6 December 2019, Kāinga Ora does not currently record the number of properties, consented or constructed, by their level of accessibility.

I am therefore declining your request under section 18(g) of the Act because the information you requested is not held.

If you have any further questions, I invite you to contact Karen Davidson, Principal Advisor, at [Karen.Davidson@kaingaora.govt.nz](mailto:Karen.Davidson@kaingaora.govt.nz) or on 021 518 496.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review of my response by the Ombudsman, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. The relevant details can be found on the Ombudsman's website [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rachel Kelly".

Rachel Kelly  
**Manager Government Relations**