



15 October 2025

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), transferred to Inland revenue from the Office of the Minister of Revenue, Hon Simon Watts, on 29 November 2023. You requested the following:

I'm looking for the current outstanding amounts of child support owed by liable parents to the most recent date. Any insight into this would be greatly appreciated.

Information being released

As at 30 September 2025, the total amount of child support owed by liable parents is \$897,322,152.11.

Publishing of OIA response

We intend to publish our response to your request on Inland Revenue's website (ird.govt.nz) as this information may be of interest to other members of the public. This letter, with your personal details removed, may be published in its entirety. Publishing responses increases the availability of information to the public and is consistent with the OIA's purpose of enabling more effective participation in the making and administration of laws and policies and promoting the accountability of officials.

Thank you again for your request.

Yours sincerely



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