Whānau Ora Review

On 3 April 2018, following reference from the Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee, Cabinet:

1 noted that te Minita mō Whānau Ora intends to conduct a review of Whānau Ora;

2 agreed that the purpose of the review of Whānau Ora is to:

2.1 assess the ability of the current Whānau Ora commissioning approach to effect sustainable change in the wellbeing and development potential of whānau;

2.2 scope the applicability of a whānau-centred approach as a useful exemplar for improving outcomes for whānau across government;

2.3 explore the extent to which the Whānau Ora service delivery model and the commissioning approach is accountable and transparent in the achievement of outcomes for whānau;

3 agreed to the terms of reference for the Whānau Ora Review, attached to the submission under CAB-18-SUB-0120;

4 noted that te Minita mō Whānau Ora intends to appoint the following members to the Whānau Ora Review Panel:

4.1 Caren RANGI as the Chair of the Whānau Ora Review Panel for a period commencing from 1 April 2018 to 30 December 2018;

4.2 Tania Hodges as a member of the Whānau Ora Review Panel for a period commencing from 1 April 2018 to 30 December 2018;

4.3 Te Raumawhitu Kupenga as a member of the Whānau Ora Review Panel for a period commencing from 1 April 2018 to 30 December 2018;

4.4 Donna Matahaere-atariki as a member of the Whānau Ora Review Panel for a period commencing from 1 April 2018 to 30 December 2018;

4.5 Brenda Steele as a member of the Whānau Ora Review Panel for a period commencing from 1 April 2018 to 30 December 2018;

4.6 Mereana Kim Ngārimu as a member of the Whānau Ora Review Panel for a period commencing from 1 April 2018 to 30 December 2018;
noted that the Whānau Ora Review should also consider an analytical assessment of the approach, and bring in additional expertise as necessary to support a robust evaluation;

noted that the cost of the Whānau Ora Review will be met from existing baselines;

invited te Minita mō Whānau Ora to report to the Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee on the outcome of the Whānau Ora Review in December 2018.

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Secretary of the Cabinet

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