




Te Puni Kōkiri

MINISTRY OF MĀORI DEVELOPMENT

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Tēnā koe 

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your information request dated 12 Haratua 2025. You asked for the following information:

"I am requesting a copy of the Terms of Reference or other documents setting scope or direction to the Independent Technical Advisory Group charged with review of the Waitangi Tribunal. I make this request under the OIA. If these are readily publicly available, I have been unable to find them on the website."

Your request has been considered in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982 (Act).

The Terms of Reference and related documents concerning the Independent Technical Advisory Group have been proactively released by Te Puni Kōkiri and are available at the following link: <https://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/a-matou-whakaarotau/proactive-release-of-papers>. Accordingly, your request is refused in full under section 18(d) of the Act as the information requested is now publicly available.

I trust my response satisfies your request.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that Te Puni Kōkiri publishes some of its OIA responses on its website, after the response is sent to the requester. The responses published are those that are considered to have a high level of public interest. We will not publish your name, address or contact details.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact us at oia@tpk.govt.nz.

Ngā mihi



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