



Cabinet Legislation Committee

Minute of Decision

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Māori Land Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2026

Portfolio **Māori Development**

On 26 March 2026, the Cabinet Legislation Committee:

- 1 **noted** that the Minister for Māori Development approved the drafting of the Māori Land Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2026 (the Amendment Regulations) to specify a fee of \$228 for filing an appeal, and \$68 for filing an application for leave for appeal out of time, under section 71 of the Plant Variety Rights Act 2022;
- 2 **noted** that the Amendment Regulations give effect to the above decision;
- 3 **authorised** the submission to the Executive Council of the Māori Land Court Fees Amendment Regulations [PCO 27193/6.0];
- 4 **noted** that the Amendment Regulations come into force on 30 April 2026.

Sam Moffett
Committee Secretary

Present:

Hon David Seymour
Rt Hon Winston Peters
Hon Paul Goldsmith (Chair)
Hon Judith Collins KC
Hon Tama Potaka
Hon Brooke van Velden
Hon Casey Costello
Hon James Meager
Stuart Smith MP
Todd Stephenson MP
Jamie Arbuckle MP

Officials present from:

Officials Committee for LEG