
KEI MUA I TE AROARO O TE RŌPŪ WHAKAMANA
I TE TIRITI O WAITANGI

BEFORE THE WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

WAI 3400

IN THE MATTER OF

The Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975

AND

IN THE MATTER OF

The Marine and Coastal (Takutai Moana) Act
Coalition Changes Urgent Inquiry

MEMORANDUM OF CROWN COUNSEL

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MAY IT PLEASE THE TRIBUNAL:

1. This memorandum is filed to inform the Tribunal and inquiry participants that the Marine and Coastal Area (Takutai Moana) (Customary Marine Title) Amendment Bill was introduced into the House of Representatives by the Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations today.¹

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TO: The Registrar, Waitangi Tribunal

AND TO: Claimant Counsel

¹ The Bill is available online: [Marine and Coastal Area \(Takutai Moana\) \(Customary Marine Title\) Amendment Bill \(bills.parliament.nz\)](https://bills.parliament.nz/bills/2024/10).