

WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

Wai 1823

CONCERNING

the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975

ANDthe Ngāti Urunumia and Ngāti
Ngutu (Rangitaawa-Schofield)
claim**MEMORANDUM-DIRECTIONS OF THE PRESIDING OFFICER**

The Registrar is directed to add to Wai 1823 an amended statement of claim received on 1 May 2025 and to record its date of receipt in the register of claims.

This amendment seeks to add further particulars to the claim, specifically in relation to representation of wāhine Māori in government and public sectors.

The amendment also seeks to add further allegations to the claim concerning the erosion of the rangatiratanga of wāhine Māori. These allegations include that the Crown breached the principles of the Treaty of Waitangi by failing to:

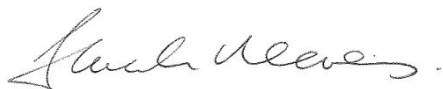
- uphold the mana of wāhine Māori through effective Tiriti partnership;
- provide effective statutory or policy frameworks to local governments to encourage and facilitate the participation and representation of wāhine Māori in local government; and
- ensure wāhine Māori have a voice and are treated equally to tāne and their non-Māori counterparts.

The amendment is to be entered on Wai 1823, the Ngāti Urunumia and Ngāti Ngutu (Rangitaawa-Schofield) claim, as document #1.1.1(f).

The Registrar is to send a copy of this direction to the claimants and give notice of the amendment to those on the notification list for:

- Wai 1823, the Ngāti Urunumia and Ngāti Ngutu (Rangitaawa-Schofield) claim; and
- Wai 2700, the Mana Wahine Kaupapa Inquiry.

DATED at Wellington this 13th day of November 2025



Judge Sarah Reeves
Presiding Officer

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