

WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

Wai 3526

CONCERNING

the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975

ANDthe Mana Wahine (Wikitera,
Faiers and Kirimaoa) claim**MEMORANDUM-DIRECTIONS OF THE DEPUTY CHAIRPERSON**

On 11 July 2025, the Tribunal received a statement of claim by Dr Keri-Anne Wikitera, Nari Faiers and Iris Kirimaoa concerning the mana of Ngāti Wāhiao wāhine and wāhine Māori as a whole. The claim was registered on 8 August 2025 as Wai 3526, the Mana Wahine (Wikitera, Faiers and Kirimaoa) claim (Wai 3526, #1.1.1 & #2.1.1).

On 12 August 2025, the Tribunal received a memorandum of counsel for the Mana Wahine (Wikitera, Faiers and Kirimaoa) (Wai 3526) claim seeking to replace the original statement of claim for Wai 3526 due to typographical errors in relation to the claimants' names (Wai 3526, #3.1.2).


Along with the memorandum, counsel filed an amended version of the original statement claim without these typographical errors.

The Registrar is directed to replace the original statement of claim for Wai 3526 with the amended version received on 12 August 2025. Accordingly, the amendment is to be entered on Wai 3526, the Mana Wahine (Wikitera, Faiers and Kirimaoa) claim, as document #1.1.1.

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 3526, the Mana Wahine (Wikitera, Faiers and Kirimaoa) claim; and
- Wai 2700, the Mana Wahine Kaupapa Inquiry.

DATED at Wellington this 4th day of December 2025



Judge Sarah Reeves
Deputy Chairperson

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