IN THE WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

Wai 2200

CONCERNING the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975

AND the Porirua ki Manawatū District Inquiry

MEMORANDUM OF COUNSEL ASSIST FILING UPDATED REPORT SUMMARY ON BEHALF OF PAUL MEREDITH

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1. This memorandum is filed by counsel assisting the Waitangi Tribunal commissioned expert technical witness, Paul Meredith.

2. On 6 October 2025, the Presiding Officer Chief Judge Dr C L Fox directed technical witnesses presenting at hearing four of the Wider Inquiry phase to file evidence summaries by 13 January 2026 (Wai 2200, #2.6.305 & #2.6.305(a)).

3. Yesterday, 14 January 2026 at 1:16 pm, counsel assisting the Tribunal filed the report summary for 'The Collision of Two Legal Worlds Te Tikanga me Te Ture *Atu I Porirua ki Manawatū*' report (Wai 2200, #A253) on behalf of Paul Meredith after seeking a brief extension to allow Mr Meredith time to finalise his summary.

4. After filing the summary as instructed, counsel was informed the version of the report summary filed required revision.

5. Accordingly, counsel now files with this memorandum an updated version of the report summary for Wai 2200, #A253. This updated version should replace the document previously filed as the correct summary for the Wai 2200 record of inquiry. Counsel encourages parties to update their own records to reflect this.

6. Counsel also acknowledges the further delay in filing the final version of this report summary and respectfully seeks leave to file the updated version out of time.

Dated: 15 January 2026

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