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

BEFORE THE WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

WAI 2575

IN THE MATTER OF the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975

AND

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEALTH SERVICES AND OUTCOMES
KAUPAPA INQUIRY

MEMORANDUM OF COUNSEL FOR THE CROWN REGARDING INTRODUCTION OF
LEGISLATION

4 July 2025



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1. This memorandum is filed further to counsel's earlier memoranda of 11 and 17 June 2025 providing updates on the proposed reforms to the Pae Ora (Healthy Futures) Act 2022.¹
2. On 11 June, the Crown responded the Tribunal direction of 9 June 2025,² advising that proposed amendments to the Act were considered and approved by Cabinet on 9 June 2025.³ On 17 June, the Crown provided further information on the reforms following a public announcement.
3. Counsel now provides a further update to the Tribunal and other parties that the relevant Bill, the Healthy Futures (Pae Ora) Amendment Bill, was introduced to the House of Representatives on 2 July 2025.

4 July 2025



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TO: The Registrar, Waitangi Tribunal

AND TO: Claimant Counsel

¹ Wai 2575, #3.2.1283; F Dean *Memorandum of Counsel providing update* (17 June 2025).

² Wai 2575, #2.6.207 at [21].

³ At [11].