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WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

Wai 1055

CONCERNING the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975

AND a claim by Michael Peti relating to land & resources within the tribal territory of Nga Puhi

MEMORANDUM-DIRECTIONS OF ACTING CHAIRPERSON

The Registrar will please enter this matter on the register of claims and give it the next available wai number. The register should note that the claim was received on 13 December 2002. It is noted that the claim is described as an amended statement of claim as it was intended to replace an earlier claim, submitted to the Tribunal on 11 November 2002. However, the earlier claim has not been registered.

The claim relates to a range of grievances concerning Nga Puhi and the lands and resources within the Nga Puhi rohe. To the extent, if at all, that the claimant is seeking the return of land that is private land (as defined by section 2 of the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975), the Tribunal notes that, under section 6(4A) of the same Act, it is prevented from recommending the return to Maori ownership of any private land or the acquisition by the Crown of any private land. This restriction, however, is qualified by the resumption provisions of the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975 (see sections 8A to 8HJ of the Act).

The claim will be heard with other claims with which it overlaps. In due course, the Tribunal will convene conferences to deal with research planning and other preliminary matters in the various inquiry districts in which it will be heard and the claimant will have the opportunity to attend and be involved in those conferences. However, it should be noted that the Tribunal has already completed its inquiry into Kaipara claims. The Tribunal will not inquire into those claims again, unless it can be persuaded that there are compelling reasons to do so.

The claimant may amend the claim at a later stage, if necessary.

The Registrar is to send a copy of this direction to claimant counsel and to give notice of the claim to:

Crown Law Office
Office of Treaty Settlements
Maori Land Information Office

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Crown Forestry Rental Trust
Claimant/counsel for:

Wai 72	Ngati Paoa Lands & Fisheries claim
Wai 96	Wairoa & Otau Blocks claim
Wai 100	Hauraki claim
Wai 121	Ngati Whatua Lands & Fisheries claim
Wai 186	Hurstmere Rd, Takapuna, Land claim
Wai 187	Awataha Land claim
Wai 229	Otamatea Lands claim
Wai 330	Auckland-South Auckland-Waikato Lands claim
Wai 236	Early Land Transactions claim
Wai 261	4 Domett Avenue, Auckland, claim
Wai 244	Ngati Wai Lands & Fisheries claim
Wai 259	Tawhiri Pa claim
Wai 276	Sylvia Park claim
Wai 271	Pouto Lands claim
Wai 279	Te Taou Reweti Charitable Trust claim
Wai 280	Little Barrier Island claim
Wai 294	Pouto Lands claim
Wai 303	Te Runanga o Ngati Whatua claim
Wai 312	Ngati Whatua o Kaipara ki te Tonga claim
Wai 340	Newmarket Land claim
Wai 345	Fairburn Block claim
Wai 346	Fairburn Purchase claim
Wai 354	Tai Tokerau Land claim
Wai 357	Ngai Tai Ki Tamaki Trust claim
Wai 364	Tamaki-Hauraki (Tooke) claim
Wai 374	Auckland Central Railways Land claim
Wai 388	Tamaki Makaurau claim
Wai 392	Te Runanga O Ngati Paoa claim
Wai 393	Te Uri-O-Hau Auckland Lands claim
Wai 394	Central Auckland Railway Lands claim
Wai 409	Pouto 2E7B2 Block claim
Wai 454	Marutuahu Tribal Region claim
Wai 468	Ngapuhi Lands claim
Wai 470	Kawerau-a-Maki Tribal Territory claim
Wai 495	Marutuahu Tribal Lands claim
Wai 496	Tamaki Girls College & Other Lands within Tamaki Makaurau claim
Wai 508	Ngati Te Ata claim
Wai 532	Mangawhai Lands & Hauraki Gulf Islands claim
Wai 619	Ngati Kahu o Torongare/Te Parawhau claim
Wai 620	Te Waiariki/Ngati Korora Hapu Land & Resources claim
Wai 632	Te Kopuru & Aratapu Blocks claim
Wai 658	Kaipara (Wai-Riri Whanau Trust) claim
Wai 683	Te Iwi O Te Parawhau claim
Wai 688	Nga Hapu O Whangarei Lands, Waters, Forests & Resources claim
Wai 689	Pouto Blocks & Forestry claim
Wai 697	Te Kopuru Hospital (Maungarongo) claim

Wai 719 Kaipara Land & Resources (Pirika Ngai Whanau) claim
Wai 720 Mahurangi-Omaha (Hauraki Gulf) claim
Wai 721 Ngati Tahinga Ki Kaipara Land & Resources claim
Wai 733 Otakinini Lands & Resources (Kaipara) claim
Wai 756 Southern Kaipara Lands & Resources claim
Wai 763 Kapehu Blocks & Rating claim
Wai 798 Kaipara Ki Waitemata (Ngati Rango) claim
Wai 861 Tai Tokerau District Maori Council claim
Wai 887 Ngawaka Tautari Lands (Auckland/Kaipara) claim
Wai 914 Te Atatu (Auckland) claim
Wai 960 Ngai Tai Umupuia O Tamaki claim
Wai 961 Waiohua ki te Aakitai land & Resources claim
Wai 966 Ngapuhi Ti Tiriti o Waitangi claim
Wai 1045 Ngati Marua Land & Resources claim
Wai 1046 Ngati Whatua Tuturu O Te Taou Lands & Resources claim

Hauraki Maori Trust Board
Ngati Whatua o Orakei Maori Trust Board
Taitokerau Maori Trust Board
Te Runanga A Iwi O Ngapuhi
Te Runanga o Ngati Whatua
Auckland City Council
Kaipara District Council
Manukau City Council
North Shore City Council
Papakura District Council
Franklin District Council
Rodney District Council
Waitakere City Council
Whangarei District Council

DATED at Wellington this 6th day of June 2003

Chief Judge JV Williams
Acting Chairperson
WAITANGI TRIBUNAL