WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

Wai 2200

CONCERNING the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975

AND the Porirua ki Manawatū District Inquiry

MEMORANDUM-DIRECTIONS (NO.28) OF DEPUTY CHIEF JUDGE C L FOX, PRESIDING OFFICER, SIR TAMATI REEDY (EMERITUS PROFESSOR) AND DR GRANT PHILLIPSON

Tēnā koutou katoa

1. On 14 December 2011 the Tribunal issued memorandum-directions addressing the proposed research programme for the Porirua ki Manawatū inquiry district (Wai 2200, #2.5.39). The Tribunal advised parties that pre-conference submissions should be filed by Monday 30 January 2012.

2. In response a Crown memorandum was filed on 22 December 2011 (Wai 2200, #3.1.296) submitting that the Crown would be able to respond most usefully to the particular issues after it has received the claimants' pre-conference submissions. The Crown seeks the leave of the Tribunal to respond to the issues by 13 February 2012.

3. The leave sought is declined. The Crown is to file, as directed, any pre-conference submissions by **midday, Monday 30 January 2012.**

The Registrar is to send a copy of this direction to all those on the notification list for Wai 2200, the combined record of inquiry for the Porirua ki Manawatū District Inquiry.

DATED at Gisborne this 23rd day of December 2011.

Deputy Chief Judge C L Fox
Presiding Officer
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