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IN THE WAITANGI TRIBUNAL

WAI 898
WAI 903
WAI 1130
WAI 1200
WAI 833
WAI 965
WAI 1044
WAI 1605

IN THE MATTER	of the Treaty of Waitangi Act 1975
AND	
IN THE MATTER	of the Te Rohe Potae Inquiry
AND	
IN THE MATTER	of claims by Ema Te Toroa Tangiariki Pohatu, Carmen Kura Kapea-Sutcliffe, James Raumanuka Pakau, Lyndon Karl Pakau Bowring, Daryn Roy Pakau, Te Maioro Konui and Maxine Ketu for and on behalf of themselves, Ngati Pouroto, Ngati Te Ika of Ngati Hikairo Iwi and the Albert and Sophia Ketu Whanau Trust.

MEMORANDUM OF COUNSEL FOR NGATI HIKAIRO AND THE KETU WHANAU

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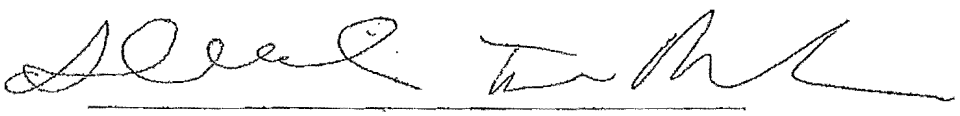
1. This Memorandum of Counsel is filed for and on behalf of Ema Te Toroa Tangiariki Pohatu, Carmen Kura Kapea-Sutcliffe, James Raumanuka Pakau, Lyndon Karl Pakau Bowring, Daryn Roy Pakau, Te Maioro Konui and Maxine Ketu for and on behalf of themselves, Ngati Pouroto, Ngati Te Ika of Ngati Hikairo Iwi and the Albert and Sophia Ketu Whanau Trust ("the Ketu Whanau").

2. The Claimants regret to inform the Tribunal, claimants, and claimant counsel alike that Ms Carmen Kura Kapea-Sutcliffe, the Ngati Hikairo Wai 833, 965, 1044, and 1605 claim coordinator, recently passed away.

3. The Claimants notify the Tribunal that together with the wider Ngati Hikairo community and counsel, the named claimant who has taken up Ms Kura Kapea-Sutcliffe's mantle as coordinator of the Ngati Hikairo Wai 833, 965, 1044, and 1605 claims is Ema Te Toroa Tangiariki Pohatu.

4. The Claimants consequently seek a direction from the Tribunal removing Carmen Kura Kapea-Sutcliffe from the list of named claimants in the Ngati Hikairo Wai 833, 965, 1044, and 1605 Statement of Claims for the Wai 1200 Central North Island District Inquiry, the Wai 903 Whanganui District Inquiry, the Wai 1130 National Park District Inquiry, and the Wai 898 Rohe Potae District Inquiry.



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