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Tēnā koe

Moriori: Post-Settlement Governance Entity and ratification strategy

Thank you for providing the documentation outlining the proposed post-settlement governance entity (**PSGE**) for Moriori. We have considered the proposed PSGE and are pleased to inform you it meets the Crown's criteria of accountability, representation and transparency. We consider the proposed PSGE is appropriate to receive and manage Treaty settlement redress on behalf of Moriori.

We have considered your strategy for the early ratification of your PSGE and are pleased to inform you the ratification strategy meets the Crown's requirements and can proceed.

This is an important step towards settling the claims of Moriori. We congratulate you on reaching this stage in the Treaty settlement process and look forward to receiving the results of your PSGE ratification process.

Nā māua,



Hon. Andrew Little
Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations



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