

18 February 2025

TRONP BOARD STATEMENT

Tena tatau Ngati Porou

As advised before Christmas, the Board of Te Runanganui o Ngati Porou resolved unanimously on Monday 22 December 2024 to seek a legal opinion from a senior King Counsel on the interpretation clause 5.1 of the Third Schedule of the Trust Deed. This is the clause that deals with the election of the Chair and Deputy Chair.

It was expected that advice would be received in early February. The board has now received the advice from the Kings Counsel and considered it at a special meeting held on 14 February 2025.

Any decisions made as a result will be made available to Ngati Porou after Monday's (24 February board) meeting.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "P. Tangaere".

Patrick Tangaere
Chairman