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Tēnā koe John Luke

Thank you for your email, received on 2 March 2024, to Oranga Tamariki—Ministry for Children (Oranga Tamariki) requesting information on the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Ngāi Tahu and Oranga Tamariki. Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

You have requested:

I noted, Ngāi Tahu signs MOU with Oranga Tamariki - Ministry for Children

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May I kindly request a full copy of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) mentioned here within.

Please find attached a copy of the MoU between Ngāi Tahu and Oranga Tamariki.

The agreement you referred to in your request was originally signed in 2019, but was superseded by the attached version in 2021. This is the current agreement in place between Ngāi Tahu and Oranga Tamariki.

More information on our partnership with Ngāi Tahu can be found here: [Ngāi Tahu partnership | Oranga Tamariki — Ministry for Children](#).

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I trust you find this information useful. Should you have any concerns with this response, I would encourage you to raise them with Oranga Tamariki. Alternatively, you are advised of your right to also raise any concerns with the Office of the Ombudsman. Information about this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by contacting them on 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Haimona', written in a cursive style.

Darrin Haimona
Deputy Chief Executive
Māori, Partnerships and Communities