

DELEGATION RELATING TO – LOOKING INTO A TE PUNI KOKIRI APPOINTMENT PROCESS

Date: 28 March 2024

From: Te Tumu Whakarae mō Te Kawa Mataaho | Acting Public Service Commissioner

To: Pania Gray, Managing Director, Kororā Consulting

Authority: Schedule 3, clause 6 Public Service Act 2020

Background

The chief executive of Te Puni Kōkiri (TPK) has asked me to look into TPK's processes and decision-making relating to the appointment of a person to the role of Senior Adviser Māori Capability. I agreed to that request and set out the purpose of the work and the matters within scope in the attached letter to the chief executive of TPK, dated 28 February 2024.

1 Appointment

I appoint Ms Pania Gray as an external expert, to lead and work with an internal Te Kawa Mataaho | Public Service Commission team to look into TPK's appointment process (the External Expert).

2 Delegation relating to looking into a Te Puni Kōkiri appointment process

For the purpose of looking into this matter, and to the extent necessary to carry out the role of External Expert, I delegate my functions and powers under schedule 3, clauses 2 to 4 of the Public Service Act to the External Expert.

This delegation shall come into effect from the date of this instrument and shall continue in force until the provision of a final report into this matter to me, unless revoked earlier in writing.

3 No consent to sub-delegation

I do not consent to the sub-delegation of all or any of the functions and powers delegated under this instrument, except as specified in the Delegations Policy or otherwise authorised in writing.

4 Limits and requirements

Performance of the function under this delegation must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Public Service Act 2020.

SIGNED by the **ACTING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER**



Heather Baggott