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Mixed Ownership Model for Crown Commercial Entities: Treasury Advice and Cabinet Material relating to Consultation with Māori Information Release

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Date: 26 February 2012

To: Prime Minister
Minister of Finance

Associate Minister of Finance (Hon Steven Joyce)

Minister for State Owned Enterprises

Attorney General

Aide Memoire: Mixed Ownership Model: Draft Analysis of Submissions from Consultation with Maori

We attach a draft of our analysis of the submissions from the mixed ownership consultation with Māori for discussion at your meeting at 2pm on Monday 27 February. A draft Cabinet paper will follow later today.

The proposed process from here is:

27 Feb	Prime Minister and MOM Ministers consider draft analysis and draft	
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Cabinet paper

27 Feb Departmental comment on draft analysis and draft Cabinet paper

received

27/28 Feb
 28 Feb
 29 Feb
 Treasury finalises analysis and Cabinet paper
 Shareholding Ministers sign out Cabinet paper
 EGI considers Cabinet paper with power to act

Waitangi Tribunal teleconference on urgency application

1 or 2 Mar Final legislation submitted to Cabinet Office

5 Mar Cabinet agrees legislation

Legislation introduced

We suggest Monday's discussion needs to focus on the following issues:

- Update on the NZMC claim in the Tribunal (in short, iwi opposition to the claim is gathering momentum)
- Timing of the introduction of the legislation in the context of Cabinet's discussion on Monday morning
- Building support with Māori for your preferred approach
- Section 9 wording
- The merits of including some form of corporate social responsibility provisions
- Communications strategy and timing
- Update on discussions with iwi on Māori participtation.

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