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Mixed Ownership Model for Crown Commercial Entities: Shares Plus Proposal Information Release

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Action Sought

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Minister of Finance (Hon Bill English)	Note contents	The first hui is at 5.30pm on Tuesday 18 September
Associate Minister of Finance (Hon Steven Joyce)	Note contents	None
Minister for State Owned Enterprises (Hon Tony Ryall)	Note contents	None
Attorney-General (Hon Christopher Finlayson)	Note contents	None

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1. This report sets out the arrangements for the shares plus consultation hui over the next two weeks.

Who we are consulting with

- 2. The government has chosen to undertake targeted consultation, which involves face to face meetings with those groups who have interests in water or geothermal resources that are directly affected by the operations of one or more of Genesis Energy, Mighty River Power and Meridian Energy (T2012/2202).
- 3. The main principle for organising the hui has been to cluster iwi into related groups and to hold the hui in places that are accessible to all of the participants. One extra hui was proposed specifically for Maniapoto in Te Kuiti as you were already meeting with them, under their river accord, during the consultation period. Raukawa were also invited to this hui (as an alternative to Hamilton at their election) on the basis that it might be more convenient for them.

Cluster group	lwi	Location (date)
Tainui waka	Waikato-Tainui Pouakani Raukawa Hauraki Ngāti Koroki Kahukura	Hamilton (18/09)
Te Arawa, Ngāti Tūwharetoa	Te Arawa Ngāti Tūwharetoa	Taupō (19/09)
Whanganui iwi	Whanganui iwi	Whanganui (19/09)
Tainui waka	Ngāti Maniapoto Raukawa	Te Kuiti (26/09)
Waikaremoana	Ngāi Tūhoe Ngāti Ruapani Ngāti Kahungunu ki Wairoa	Tuai (27/09)
Ngāi Tahu	Ngāi Tahu	Christchurch (27/09)

4. Te Puni Kokiri has used its regional offices to work with these groups and agree appropriate venues.

- 5. Some issues have arisen with the choice of locations and venues:
 - The decision to hold hui in both Hamilton and Te Kuiti has confused some iwi, but we believe any issues have been resolved. The Chair of Ngāti Maniapoto – Tiwha Bell – has asked to attend the Hamilton hui as well as the Te Kuiti hui.
 - Raukawa would have preferred their own hui, and have asked to attend both the Hamilton and Taupo hui.
 - Ngāti Koroki Kahukura would have preferred the Hamilton venue to be located closer to the Waikato River, and initially refused to attend. They have now proposed attending the Taupo hui instead.
- 6. Officials have worked closely with these groups to accommodate such issues while ensuring the concept of clustering is maintained.

Departmental and cultural support

7. Chris White (Treasury) and Paul Radich (Crown Law Office) will attend each hui, as will a senior representative and note-takers from Te Puni Kokiri (TPK). Hemana Eruera (TPK) will be present at each hui to provide cultural support and translation if required.

Local participation

8. TPK have organised for local Co-Chairs to assist in the running of each hui. TPK Regional Directors will also be present. The TPK Regional Director will be present at each venue thirty minutes before the starting time to provide a briefing on local issues to Minister(s) and officials, if required.

Location (date)	Co-Chair	TPK Regional Director
Hamilton (18/09)	Koro Wetere	Gail Campbell [Withheld under s9(2)(a)]
Taupō (19/09)	Sir Tumu Te Heuheu, and Toby Curtis	Gail Campbell [Withheld under s9(2)(a)]
Whanganui (19/09)	John Maihi	Wally Tongahau [Withheld under s9[2)(a)]
Te Kuiti (26/09)	Glen Tupuhi	Donna Docherty [Withheld under s9(2)(a)]
Tuai (27/09)	Derek Mai (and/or Tamati Kruger, tbc)	Mere Pohatu [Withheld under s9(2)(a)]
Christchurch (27/09)	Tutehounuku (Nuk) Korako	David Ormsby [Withheld under s9(2)(a)]

Supporting material

9. Copies of the 5 September letter from Ministers to directly affected iwi, as well as copies of the Minister's presentation, will be made available to hui participants at the conclusion of each meeting.

Recommended Action
This report is for your information.
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Hon Steven Joyce Associate Minister of Finance
Hon Tony Ryall Minister for State Owned Enterprises
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Hon Christopher Finlayson **Attorney-General**