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## **Mixed Ownership Model for Crown Commercial Entities: Treasury Advice Information Release**

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Date: 18 January 2012

To: Minister of Finance

## **Aide Memoire: Meeting with Iwi Leaders on the Mixed Ownership Model, 1pm, Thursday 19 January**

The Minister of Finance and the Prime Minister are meeting with four iwi leaders tomorrow. The leaders are Tuku Morgan, Mark Solomon, Tumu Te Heuheu and Api Mahiapua.

The meeting is a prelude to the formal portion of the consultation process with Māori on the implications of the mixed ownership model and the legislation. It arose from the confluence of two events – a request from Tuku Morgan to meet, and a similar recommendation from Sir Wira Gardiner, the Crown's facilitator for the consultation.

The timing for 19 January reflects a desire to meet prior to the celebrations at Ratana on 24 January. [4]

### **Issues that iwi leaders may raise and possible Crown responses**

We understand from Sir Wira that the leaders may raise the following issues.

<b>Issue</b>	<b>Response</b>
Opportunities for iwi to invest	We welcome iwi investment on a commercial basis and would like to understand how to facilitate this

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### Approach to consultation

You could use the meeting to communicate your intentions for the formal portion of the process as set out below, noting that final decisions on the detail have not been taken, and that once taken will not be public until next week.

Date	Event
1 February	Consultation document released
5 February	Discussion at the Iwi Leaders Group at Waitangi
8 – 16 February	Eight hui around the country, venues tbc, but tentatively Auckland, Hamilton, Rotorua, Gisborne, Taranaki, Wellington, Nelson, Christchurch
	The Crown team will be led by the Deputy Prime Minister or the Minister for SOEs
1 – 22 February	Period for written submissions
Early March	Cabinet decision on legislation

We will provide you with our initial analysis on the issues and risks that may arise during consultation on Friday, together with a draft consultation document.

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