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Proposed Overseas Travel: Hon Nicola Willis - April 2024

Portfolio Finance

On 25 March 2024, Cabinet:

- 1 **authorised** the absence of Hon Nicola Willis from New Zealand, from 16 to 20 April 2024, to travel to Washington D.C., United States of America, to attend a meeting of the Five Finance Ministers, and the International Monetary Fund and World Bank Spring meetings;
- 2 **agreed** that she be accompanied by one member of staff;
- 3 **approved** the estimated expenditure of up to \$55,000 for the travel expenses of the Ministerial party as a charge to Vote Internal Affairs (Members of the Executive – Travel);
- 4 **noted** that she will be supported at the above meetings by officials from the Treasury, whose travel costs will be met by their agency;
- 5 **agreed** that in her absence;
 - 5.1 Hon Chris Bishop act as Minister of Finance;
 - 5.2 Hon Simeon Brown act as Minister for the Public Service;
 - 5.3 Hon Louise Upston act as Minister for Social Investment;
- 6 **noted** that the House is not sitting during her absence.

Rachel Hayward
Secretary of the Cabinet