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## Ngāti Rangitihi: Post-settlement governance entity ratification

We have considered the ratification results for the proposed post-settlement governance entity (PSGE) for Ngāti Rangitihi.

We are pleased to inform you that we consider the overall results demonstrate sufficient support from the Ngāti Rangitihi claimant community for the new Te Mana o Ngāti Rangitihi Trust to be established as the PSGE to receive and manage historic Treaty settlement redress on behalf of Ngāti Rangitihi.

We are satisfied the ratification process was carried out in a robust manner and provided all adult members of Ngāti Rangitihi with the opportunity to receive information about, discuss, and vote on the PSGE.

Congratulations on reaching another milestone on your settlement journey. We wish you well in the remainder of your settlement negotiations and look forward to agreeing to a deed of settlement with Ngāti Rangitihi in the near future.

Nā māua noa,

Hon Andrew Little

Minister for Treaty of Waitangi

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Hon Nanaia Mahuta

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Te Minita Whanaketanga Māori