

2 March 2023

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Tēnā koe s9(2)(a)

I refer to your request received on 11 February 2023, which has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), for the following information:

*“the exact expiry date of these listed positions “In 2023, Manatū Taonga will support Ministers on the following openings” [referenced in DOIA23/016]. Also, how you usually advertised the vacancy to the public?*

*In particular, in the most recent recruitment process, how did you call for public nomination for these positions, NZ Symphony Orchestra, Drug Free Sport NZ, Eden Park Trust Board, Sports Tribunal of New Zealand, Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa and NZ Film Commission.”*

**Expiry dates of terms for which Manatū Taonga will support Ministers in making appointments in 2023:**

Name	Term expiry dates
<b>Arts, Culture and Heritage openings:</b>	
Arts Council of New Zealand Toi Aotearoa, one member position	From term expiry on 30 April 2023
NZ Symphony Orchestra, two member positions	From term expiry on 31 July 2023, and from carried vacancies
NZ Film Commission, one member position	From term expiry on 30 June 2023
Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga, one member position	From term expiry on 31 July 2023
Māori Heritage Council, three member positions	From term expiry on 31 July 2023, and two terms expiring on 31 December 2023
Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa, two member positions	From terms expiring on 30 April 2023 and 30 June 2023
<b>Broadcasting and Media openings:</b>	
Broadcasting Commission (NZ On Air), one member position	From term expiry on 30 June 2023
National Pacific Radio Trust (co appointers are Minister for Broadcasting and Media and Minister for Pacific Peoples), two trustee positions	From term expiry on 31 July 2023 and 30 October 2023

<b>Sport and Recreation openings:</b>	
Drug Free Sport NZ, one chair position	From term expiry on 31 July 2023
Eden Park Trust Board, five member positions including for Chair	From terms expiring on 30 June 2023
Sports Tribunal of New Zealand, one member position	From carried vacancy

When Manatū Taonga advertise upcoming vacancies through a public call for nominations, we utilise our website, social media, and LinkedIn platforms; and the outreach channels of the body for which nominations are being sought.

**How did Manatū Taonga call for public nominations for these most recent recruitment processes:**

***New Zealand Symphony Orchestra Board***

Appointments to the NZ Symphony Orchestra Board are made in accordance with the NZ Symphony Orchestra Act 2004 and the Crown Entities Act 2004. A public call for nominations is not required under these Acts and was not conducted in the most recent round of appointments.

In shortlisting candidates for the most recent round of appointments to the NZ Symphony Orchestra Board, we undertook a targeted search of its nominations database.

***Drug Free Sport New Zealand***

Appointments to the Drug Free Sports New Zealand are made in accordance with the Sports Anti-Doping Act 2006 and the Crown Entities Act 2004. A public call for nominations is not required under these Acts and was not conducted in the most recent round of appointments.

In shortlisting candidates for the most recent round of appointments to the Drug Free Sport NZ Board, we reviewed candidates from the previous year's appointment round.

***Eden Park Trust Board***

Appointments to the Eden Park Trust Board are made in accordance with the Eden Park Trust Deed. A public call for nominations is not required under the Deed and was not conducted in the most recent round of appointments. In the most recent round of appointments, the Minister agreed to reappoint members with terms expiring.

***Sports Tribunal of New Zealand***

Appointments to the Sports Tribunal of New Zealand are made in accordance with the Sports Anti-Doping Act 2006. A public call for nominations is not required under this Act and was not conducted in the most recent round of appointments.

***Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa Board***

Appointments to the Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa Board are made in accordance with the Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa Act 1992 and the Crown Entities Act 2004. A public call for nominations is not required under these Acts and was not conducted in the most recent round of appointments.

In shortlisting candidates for the most recent round of appointments to the Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa Board, we undertook a targeted search of its nominations database.

**NZ Film Commission**

Appointments to the NZ Film Commission are made in accordance with the New Zealand Film Commission Act 1978 and the Crown Entities Act 2004. A public call for nominations is not required under these Acts and was not conducted in the most recent round of appointments.

In shortlisting candidates for the most recent appointment to the NZ Film Commission, we undertook a targeted search of its nominations database.

Te Kawa Mataaho | The Public Service Commission also includes information on Board appointments and re-appointments (including recruitment processes and nominations) on its website at: <https://www.publicservice.govt.nz/guidance/guidance-for-statutory-crown-entities/board-appointments-and-reappointment/>.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of our response to this request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

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