

MFAT Treaty Partnership Groups

Chief Executive and SLT (CE)

Deputy Chief Executive-Policy (DCE-P) Deputy Chief Executive-People & Operations (DCE-P&O)

Trade and Economic Group (TEG) Multilateral and Legal Affairs Group (MLG) Europe, Middle East and Africa, and Australia (EMA)

Americas and Asia Group (AAG) Pacific and Development Group (PDG)



Te Hurumanu

This ropū was established to work with the Chief Executive and Senior Leadership Team on the strategic policy and operational issues facing Manatū Aorere. Te Hurumanu complements but does not condition or limit engagement by other Treaty partner representatives on trade and economic issues.



Te Taumata

Manatū Aorere's Trade and Economic Group established a partnership with Te Taumata (a Māori trade advisory board) under a Memorandum of Understanding in 2019, focused on trade and economic engagement.



Ngā Toki Whakarururanga

Manatū Aorere's Trade and Economic Group established a partnership with Ngā Toki Whakarururanga (the Wai 2522 claimants' establishment group) under a Mediation Agreement in 2020, focused on trade and economic engagement.









Federation of Māori Authorities (FOMA)

Manatū Aorere formalised a long-term partnership with FOMA under a Memorandum of Understanding in 2023, covering trade and economic engagement, as well as some broader issues of interest to FOMA members including environment, climate change, biodiversity, and the Pacific.







National Iwi Chairs Forum (NICF)

Manatū Aorere has maintained a long-term relationship with the NICF. This has predominantly focused on trade and economic engagement through the Pou Tāhua, but has also included engagement with Pou Tangata, Pou Take Āhuarangi (climate change) and Te Aratini.