

MEDIA RELEASE

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A group of pakeha people attending the Waitangi hui have been meeting privately to discuss pakeha responsibility about the Treaty of Waitangi.

We expressed those concerns in a letter to the Governor General and he agreed to meet a delegation.

There are three points which were made in the Meeting.

- 1) The Governor General agreed with our submissions that there is a need for pakeha to meet and discuss pakeha responsibility and actions concerning the Treaty.
- 2) The Governor General considered this submission important enough to state his intention to place it before Cabinet.
- 3) We asked the Governor General to stop the celebration o te Tiriti o Waitangi, but he declined to do so.