



NGĀ KAIĀWHINA HAPORI MĀORI O TE TURE

John Te Manihera Chadwick Memorial Taonga (“JCT”)

Selection criteria for the JCT:

The person must be Maori and holds a current legal practicing certificate. The person must be younger than 40 years of age and has shown significant contribution to their community/s. The person must show qualities of leadership, cultural competency and Te Reo Maori competency. The person can be either Male, Female or Transgender as there is no gender requirement.

The selection of this person must be decided conjointly by the Nga Kaiawhina Hapori Maori o te Ture (“NKHMT”) Executive Committee and the Te Hunga Roia Maori (“THRM”) Executive Committee. However, if a decision for the award recipient is indecisive; weight is ultimately given to the decision of the NKHMT Executive Committee for finalisation.

The JCT will be awarded to the person selected by the NKHMT Executive Committee and the THRM Executive Committee during the THRM Annual Conference at a time decided by The THRM Executive Committee. The award proceedings including the handover of the JCT is to be arranged by the NKHMT Executive Committee and the THRM Executive Committee; weight is ultimately given to the decision of the NKHMT Executive Committee for finalisation of arrangements.

The selection criteria for the JCT can be amended by way of submission to the NKHMT Executive Committee 30 days prior to the upcoming scheduled THRM Annual Conference. The submission for change to the selection criteria for the JCT must be discussed with the THRM Executive Committee prior to a decision being made regarding the proposed criteria amendment; weight is ultimately given to the decision of the NKHMT Executive Committee for finalisation of amendments.

For the year 2017 the nomination process for the JCT will be an informal process, however, in future years nominations for the award must be made in writing 7 days prior to the THRM Annual Conference for consideration by both NKHMT and THRM Executive Committees. The nomination process remains decisive of NKHMT and THRM Executive Committees; weight is ultimately given to the decision of the NKHMT Executive Committee for finalisation of amendments.

Naku iti nei

Haimona Solomon Te Nahu

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