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Minister	Hon Barbara Edmonds	Portfolio	Minister for Economic Development
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List of documents that have been proactively released			
Date	Title	Author	
August 2023	Government Response to the petition of Amy Blaikie: New Zealand wool products used in public-funded buildings and KiwiBuild homes The Government Response (Appendix One of Cabinet paper) was published by the House and can be found <u>here</u> .	Office of the Minister for Economic Development	
24 August 2023	Government Response to the Petition of Amy Blaikie: New Zealand wool products used in public-funded buildings and KiwiBuild homes LEG-23-MIN-0167 Minute	Cabinet Office	

#### Information redacted

NO

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# Cabinet Legislation Committee

### Minute of Decision

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# Government Response to the Petition of Amy Blaikie: New Zealand wool products used in public-funded buildings and KiwiBuild homes

#### Portfolio Economic Development

On 24 August 2023, the Cabinet Legislation Committee:

- 1 **noted** that on 3 August 2020, the petition entitled "Petition of Amy Blaikie: New Zealand wool products used in public-funded buildings and KiwiBuild homes" was presented to the House;
- 2 **noted** that on 11 February 2021, the petition in paragraph 1 above was referred to a Minister of for response under Standing Order 380;
- 3 **noted** the submission of the Minister for Economic Development and in particular her advice that there should be no policy changes in this area;
- 4 **approved** the government response, attached as Appendix One to the submission under LEG-23-SUB-0167;
- 5 **invited** the Minister for Economic Development to present the government response to the House in accordance with Standing Order 380;
- 6 **invited** the Minister for Economic Development to write to the petitioner enclosing a copy of the government response, after the response has been presented to the House.

Rebecca Davies Committee Secretary

**Present:** Hon Grant Robertson (Chair) Hon Damien O'Connor Hon Andrew Little Hon David Parker Hon Barbara Edmonds Hon Rachel Brooking Hon Jo Luxton **Officials present from:** Office of the Prime Minister Officials Committee for LEG