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On 24 February 2025, Cabinet:

- 1 **authorised** the absence of Hon Shane Jones from New Zealand, from 1 to 8 March 2025, to travel to Toronto, Canada to attend the International Mines Ministers Summit and the Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada Convention;
- 2 **agreed** that he be accompanied by one member of staff;
- 3 **approved** the estimated expenditure of up to \$33,068 for the travel expenses of the ministerial party as a charge to Vote Internal Affairs (Members of the Executive – Travel);
- 4 **noted** that he will be accompanied by officials from the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment and GNS Science, whose costs will be met by their agencies;
- 5 **agreed** that in his absence:
 - 5.1 Hon Tama Potaka act as Minister for Oceans and Fisheries;
 - 5.2 Hon Mark Patterson act as Minister for Regional Development;
 - 5.3 Hon Chris Bishop act as Minister for Resources;
- 6 **noted** that leave from the House has been approved.

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Secretary of the Cabinet