



Minister for Media and Communications

Media and Communications Portfolio

Vote Business, Science and Innovation

Report in relation to selected non-departmental appropriations for the year ended 30 June 2025

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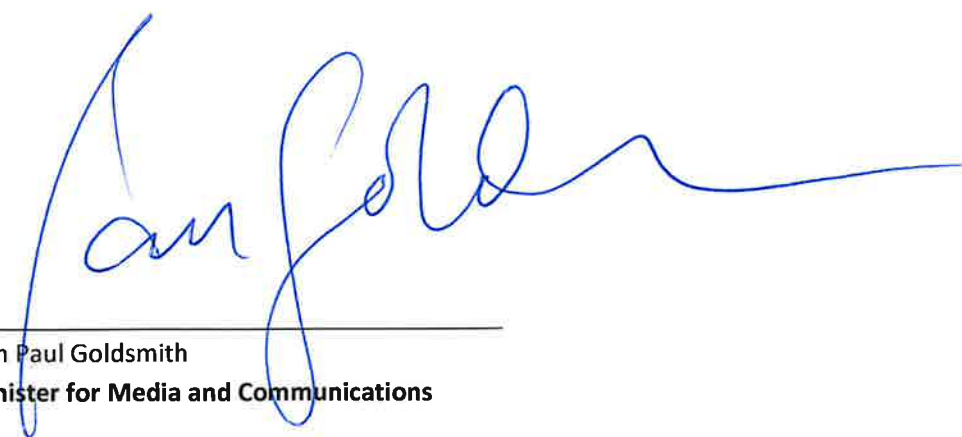
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Foreword

Ministers are responsible for reporting the financial and non-financial performance of non-departmental appropriations to Parliament. This report provides information about the year-end performance results of non-departmental appropriations that have not been included in any other reports to Parliament.

This report provides the 1 July 2024–30 June 2025 results of the relevant non-departmental appropriation for the Media and Communications portfolio within Vote Business, Science and Innovation. The relevant appropriations are:

- Funding to address Māori interests in radio spectrum
- Emergency Telecommunications Services



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Statements of Performance

Non-Departmental Output Expenses

Media and Communications: Funding to Address Māori Interests in Radio Spectrum

Scope of Appropriation

This appropriation is limited to supporting the Interim Māori Spectrum Commission and its successor Māori Spectrum Entity to serve Māori interests and opportunities in radio spectrum.

Intention Statement

This appropriation is intended to achieve a strengthened Crown-Māori relationship through an enduring resolution of Māori interests in spectrum, and increased leadership, skills, capability and participation of Māori in spectrum-related sectors.

Assessment of Performance

Non-Financial

Performance Measure	2023/24 Actual Result	2024/25 Total Standard	2024/25 Actual Result
Funds drawn down in accordance with the Funding Agreement	Achieved	Achieved	Achieved

Comment

Funds were paid as per the Funding Agreement between the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment and the Māori Spectrum Entity.

Financial

Expenses (\$000)	2023/24 Actual	2024/25 Estimates	2024/25 Supplementary Estimates	2024/25 Actual
Total Appropriation	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000

Media and Communications: Emergency Telecommunications Services

Scope of Appropriation

This appropriation is limited to improving telecommunications capabilities used by emergency service providers to locate callers when responding to emergency calls.

Intention Statement

This appropriation is intended to achieve system changes to extend the location information available to emergency service providers when responding to emergency incidents.

Assessment of Performance

Non-Financial

Performance Measure	2023/24 Actual Result	2024/25 Total Standard	2024/25 Actual Result
Milestones achieved as per the project plan	Not Reported	Achieved	Not applicable

Comment

This performance result is not reported because the appropriation was disestablished during 2024/25.

Financial

Expenses (\$000)	2023/24 Actual	2024/25 Estimates	2024/25 Supplementary Estimates	2024/25 Actual
Total Appropriation	-	1,064	(1064)	-

Comment

No expenditure in 2024/25.