

**Minutes – Regional Economic Development Ministers meeting, 7 August, 5.00-5.45**

	Item	Decision	Actions
			Commercial Information - declined project
1			Commercial Information - deferred
2			Commercial Information  Privacy of natural persons
3	Te Ara Mahi Proposals/He Poutama Rangatahi • Southland Youth Futures	<b>Approved</b>	RED Ministers approved the Southland Youth Futures project in line with the PDU's recommendation.
4	PGF proposals for review		
	Stewart Island Wind Power (approve)	<b>Approved</b>	RED Ministers approved this project subject to it receiving suitable co-funding from Southland community. RED Ministers directed the PDU to work with the applicant to ensure

			there were suitable co-funding arrangements.
	Sarjeant Gallery Te Whare o Rehua (decline)	<b>Approved</b>	The Chair of the IAP noted that the development of the Sarjeant Gallery had a significant co-contribution from the applicant, the applicant indicated that it would create <sup>Commercial</sup> construction jobs and <sup>Commercial</sup> permanent jobs, and that Manawatu-Wanganui had received the least PGF investment of PGF surge regions. RED Ministers approved funding of this project on the basis of the reasons outlined by the Chair of the IAP.
	Nelson Artificial Intelligence Institute (approve)	<b>Approved</b>	RED Ministers approved this project in line with the PDU's recommendation.
	Commercial Information - declined project		
	Commercial Information		
5	PGF Loan approvals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Geo40</li> </ul>	<b>Agreed</b>	RED Ministers agreed to the loan terms in line with the PDU's recommended actions.

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