



## COVERSHEET

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<b>Title of Cabinet paper</b>	Release of the Aotearoa New Zealand Aerospace Strategy	<b>Date to be published</b>	14 August 2023

### List of documents that have been proactively released

<b>Date</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Author</b>
June 2023	Release of the Aotearoa New Zealand Aerospace Strategy	Offices of the Minister of Research, Science and Innovation; Office of the Minister for Economic Development; Office of the Associate Minister of Transport
7 June 2023	Release of the Aotearoa New Zealand Aerospace Strategy DEV-23-MIN-0104 Minute	Cabinet Office

### Information redacted

**YES**

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# Cabinet Economic Development Committee

## Minute of Decision

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### Release of the Aotearoa New Zealand Aerospace Strategy

**Portfolios**                      **Research, Science and Innovation / Associate Transport / Economic Development**

On 7 June 2023, the Cabinet Economic Development Committee (DEV):

- 1        **noted** that on 24 August 2022, DEV agreed to the release of a consultation document on the proposed Aotearoa New Zealand Aerospace Strategy (the Strategy) [DEV-22-MIN-0200];
- 2        **noted** that feedback from the public consultation period was used to inform development of the Strategy;
- 3        **approved** the release of the Strategy, attached to the paper under DEV-23-SUB-0104;
- 4        **authorised** the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment to make design and minor editorial changes to the Aotearoa New Zealand Aerospace Strategy prior to its release;
- 5        **noted** that the Strategy is intended to be released by July 2023;

### Financial implications

- 6        **noted** that in order to use underspends to fund the implementation of the Strategy, in-principle expense transfers are required from 2022/23 to 2023/24 and 2024/25 respectively;
- 7        **approved** in-principle expense transfers of up to the following maximum amounts of operating expenditure from 2022/23 to 2023/24 and 2024/25 respectively, to give effect to the policy decision above:

	\$ million – increase / (decrease)				
<b>Vote Business Science and Innovation Minister of Research, Science and Innovation</b>	<b>2022/23</b>	<b>2023/24</b>	<b>2024/25</b>	<b>2025/26</b>	<b>2026/27 &amp; Outyears</b>
Departmental output expenses:					
Research, Science and Innovation: Innovative Partnerships	(2.000)	2.000	-	-	-
Non-departmental output expenses:					
Research, Science and Innovation: Innovative Partnerships Strategic	(10.000)	5.000	5.000	-	-
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- 8 **agreed** that the changes to appropriations above be included in the 2022/23 Supplementary Estimates and that, in the interim, the increase be met from Imprest Supply;
- 9 **authorised** the Minister of Finance and the Minister of Research, Science and Innovation to jointly agree the final amounts to be transferred, following the completion of the 2022/23 audited financial statements, with no impact on the operating balance and/or net debt across the forecast period.

Janine Harvey  
Committee Secretary

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**Present:**

Hon Grant Robertson (Chair)  
Hon Michael Wood  
Hon Dr Ayesha Verrall  
Hon Willie Jackson  
Hon Kiri Allan  
Hon David Parker  
Hon Peeni Henare  
Hon Priyanca Radhakrishnan  
Hon Dr Duncan Webb  
Hon Dr Deborah Russell  
Hon Rachel Brooking  
Hon Jo Luxton

**Officials present from:**

Office of the Prime Minister  
Officials Committee for DEV