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On 23 September 2024, Cabinet:

- 1 **authorised** the absence of Hon Shane Jones from New Zealand, from 20 to 25 October 2024, to Singapore, to meet and engage with industry and investors on potential foreign direct investment into specific large infrastructure projects in regional New Zealand;
- 2 **agreed** that he be accompanied by one staff member;
- 3 **approved** the estimated expenditure of up to \$26,775 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 also be accompanied by officials from the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment, whose costs will be met by their agency;
- 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 Simeon Brown act as Minister for Resources;
- 6 **noted** that leave from Parliament has been approved.

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