



REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Weekly Report 9 July to 13 July 2018

Date:	13 July 2018	Priority:	Medium
Security classification:	In Confidence	Tracking number:	18-19 0116

Action sought		
	Action sought	Deadline
Hon Shane Jones Minister for Regional Economic Development	Discuss at the next officials meeting	N/A
Fletcher Tabuteau Parliamentary Under-Secretary to the Minister for Regional Economic Development	Discuss at the next officials meeting	N/A

Contact for telephone discussion (if required)			
Name	Position	Telephone	1st contact
Nigel Bickle	Head of Provincial Development Unit	Privacy of natural persons	
Ben Dalton	Head of Regions and Project Delivery		
AJ Millward	General Manager Strategy and Governance		✓
Robert Pigou	Acting Head of Investment Management		



1. Provincial Growth Fund Proposals

Dunedin Waterfront Project

Comment

Funding of up to \$820,000 has been approved by Senior Regional Officials (SROs) for the Dunedin Waterfront Project. Dunedin City Council will be funded to complete a full feasibility assessment and development of a business case for the project. The assessment will include engineering, environmental and commercial feasibility for the future business case.

You will be in Dunedin on Thursday, 19 July 2018 with Hon David Parker, and if your diary allows, you have been invited to witness the Dunedin Waterfront partners sign a Memorandum of Understanding to progress the project. The partners are: Dunedin City Council (lead agency), Otago Regional Council, Port Otago Limited, Ngāi Tahu Property Limited, University of Otago, Architecture van Brandenburg and Ian Taylor from Animation Research Limited.

Your office has been provided a draft press release to announce this project.

Responsible Manager: John Doorbar, Privacy of natural persons

Next Steps:

An aide memoire with the logistics of this visit is due to your office on 18 July 2018.

2. Provincial Development Unit

Senior Regional Officials (SROs)

Comment:

The Provincial Development Unit has finalised the new operating model for the SROs who act as Government's central point of contact for regions. Some changes have been made to reflect the needs of the regions, this includes allocating full time SROs for a period to support the development of investment packages across these regions.

Responsible Manager: Ben Dalton, Privacy of natural persons

Next Steps:

The full list of SROs will be advised next week.

PipeDrive Update

Comment:

As at 9 July 2018, 298 projects have been lodged in PipeDrive. Nine projects are new this week. Of the 298 projects, 148 are Expressions of Interest and 150 are applications.

Responsible Manager: Robert Pigou, Privacy of natural persons



3. Upcoming Meetings and Events

Meeting / Event	Support
Monday, 16 July 2018	
Independent Advisory Panel meeting	For information only
Tuesday, 17 July 2018	
Wednesday, 18 July 2018	
Minister Jones –Invercargill visit with Acting PM	Talking points due 16 July 2018
Thursday, 19 July 2018	
Minister Jones – Dunedin visit and announcements	Briefing due 18 July 2018
Friday, 20 July 2018	
Minister Jones/USEC – West Coast visit and announcements	Briefing due 17 July 2018

July

23 - Meeting with Edouard Fritch, President of French Polynesia
 25 - Meeting with NZ Winegrowers
 26 - Meeting with Jacques Windell & Richard Homewood
 27 - Meeting with North Auckland Rail
 Northland visit TBC
 Launch Investment Statement TBC

August

3 - Bay of Connections forum
 16 - Independent Advisory Panel meeting
 23-24 - Waikato Economic Summit
 Bay of Plenty visit TBC
 East Coast visit TBC
 Manawatu-Whanganui visit TBC
 RED Ministers meeting TBC

September

3 - RED Ministers meeting
 17 - Independent Advisory Panel meeting
 Waikato visit (USEC) TBC
 Wairarapa and Kāpiti visits TBC

October

16 - Independent Advisory Panel meeting
 Southland and Dunedin visits TBC
 Kaikohe visit TBC
 East Coast visit (USEC) TBC
 RED Ministers meeting TBC



4. Media and Communications Schedule

Event or announcement date	Activity	Speech / media release due	MBIE Contact
19 July 2018	Announcement on the Dunedin Waterfront and Otago Economic development strategy investments	Minister Jones' office will be provided with communications material	Emma Blackmore
20 July 2018	Four West Coast announcements: Greymouth Port, Westport Port, Greymouth Masterplan and a proposed KiwiRail passenger service between Hokitika and Westport	Under-Secretary's office will be provided with communications material	Emma Blackmore
July 2018 TBC	Provincial Growth Fund Investment Statement	Minister Jones' office will be provided with communications material	Eleanor Laban



5. Completed Briefings, Aide Memoire and Reports

Tracker number	Title	Minister/USEC	Signed out by	Date delivered
18-19 0012	Event Briefing for Acting PM's visit to Taranaki, 12 July 2018	Rt Hon Winston Peters/Minister Jones/USEC	John Doorbar	10 July 2018
18-19 0107	Aide memoire – Update on West Coast Economic Development Issues	Minister Jones/USEC	AJ Millward	11 July 2018

6. Upcoming Cabinet Papers, Briefings, Aide Memoire and Reports

Tracker number	Title	Minister/USEC	Signed out by	Delivery Date
3804 17-18	Reported labour shortages in the Silviculture industry in the Hawke's Bay	Minister Jones/USEC	Hinemaui Rikirangi	13 July 2018
18-19 0072	Event Briefing for visit to West Coast on 20 July 2018	USEC	Stephanie Weller	17 July 2018
18-19 0146	Aide memoire - Visit to Dunedin City Council - Dunedin Waterfront project on 19 July 2018	Minister Jones	John Doorbar	18 July 2018
2823 17-18	Ongoing resourcing for the PDU and other agencies to administer the PGF	Minister Jones	Nigel Bickle	19 July 2018
3240 17-18	Event briefing for meeting with Tourism Export Council NZ on 2 August 2018	USEC	Richard Davies	29 July 2018



7. Ministerial Servicing

Ministerial OIAs

Tracking Number	Name	Date received	Date due to Minister's Office	Date due to requestor	Request / Status Update
SJOIA84	Privacy of natural persons	26 Jun 2018	11 Jul 2018	18 Jul 2018	Copy of 17 May 2018 Briefing re: meeting with Mark Butcher
SJOIA88		28 Jun 2018	19 Jul 2018	23 Jul 2018	Documents received regarding Independent Advisory Panel
SJOIA92		29 Jun 2018	23 Jul 2018	26 Jul 2018	Documents for PGF 28 May 2018, IAP advice on Howard League and PGF funding
SJOIA94		9 Jul 2018	30 Jul 2018	6 Aug 2018	A copy of the Regional Economic Development Weekly Report for the week ending 6 July 2018
SJOIA95		9 Jul 2018	30 Jul 2018	6 Aug 2018	Minutes, notes, agendas for RED Ministers meeting on 29 May 2018 and Estimates prep meeting on 30 May 2018

Departmental OIAs

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1718-1794	Privacy of natural persons	14 Jun 2018	5 Jul 2018	12 Jul 2018	Copy of all advice sent re PGF/Howard League Driver License Initiative
1718-1812		16 Jun 2018	N/A	13 Jul 2018	A copy of the Opōtiki Harbour Development Business Case document lodged with MBIE, (prepared by HABILIS Consultants) on 5 December 2017
1718-1870		26 Jun 2018	17 Jul 2018	24 Jul 2018	Regional Economic Strategies for Horowhenua, Manawatu, Whanganui and Tararua
1718-1884		28 Jun 2018	19 Jul 2018	26 Jul 2018	A copy of funding applications, business cases and funding for PGF



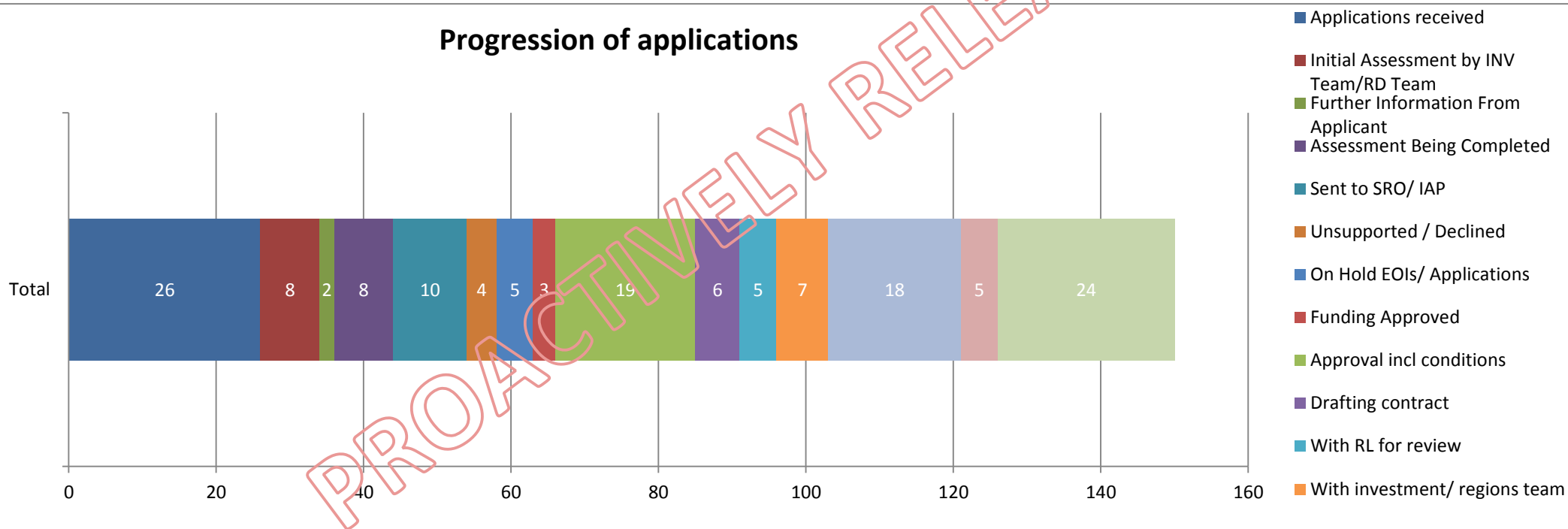
Ministerial Correspondence

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SJ956	Privacy of natural persons	26 Jun 2018	10 Jul 2018	Marsden Point Naval facility
SJ974		13 Jun 2018	11 Jul 2018	Air NZ cancelling flights in NZ and not offering alternative travel plans
SJ1064		18 Jun 2018	16 Jul 2018	Supporting NZ Local owned companies over international corporates
SJ1089		18 Jun 2018	16 Jul 2018	Opōtiki Harbour Development
SJ1090		18 Jun 2018	16 Jul 2018	Opōtiki Harbour Development
SJ629		28 Jun 2018	19 Jul 2018	Relocatable custodial workman camps
SJ1185		29 Jun 2018	20 Jul 2018	NXT fuels discovering a new important resource which is under reported
SJ971		29 Jun 2018	20 Jul 2018	Registering my involvement in the Major Capital Projects programme.
SJ978		29 Jun 2018	20 Jul 2018	For more housing NZ should look to other areas other than Auckland
EDDP 27		9 Jul 2018	23 Jul 2018	Consider proposal from Left Field Innovation for Provincial Growth Fund
SJ1258		4 Jul 2018	1 Aug 2018	Silica mining in Southland
SJ1278		5 Jul 2018	2 Aug 2018	Does Arts On Tour NZ fit into Minister's plan?
SJ1263		6 Jul 2018	3 Aug 2018	Northland Regional Growth Programme books, reports, plans and information
SJ1286		6 Jul 2018	3 Aug 2018	Juken Triboard Mill product should be sold in England/Europe and keep jobs
SJ1291		9 Jul 2018	6 Aug 2018	Transfer of Crown Land to Dept. of Conservation for Project Kakariki



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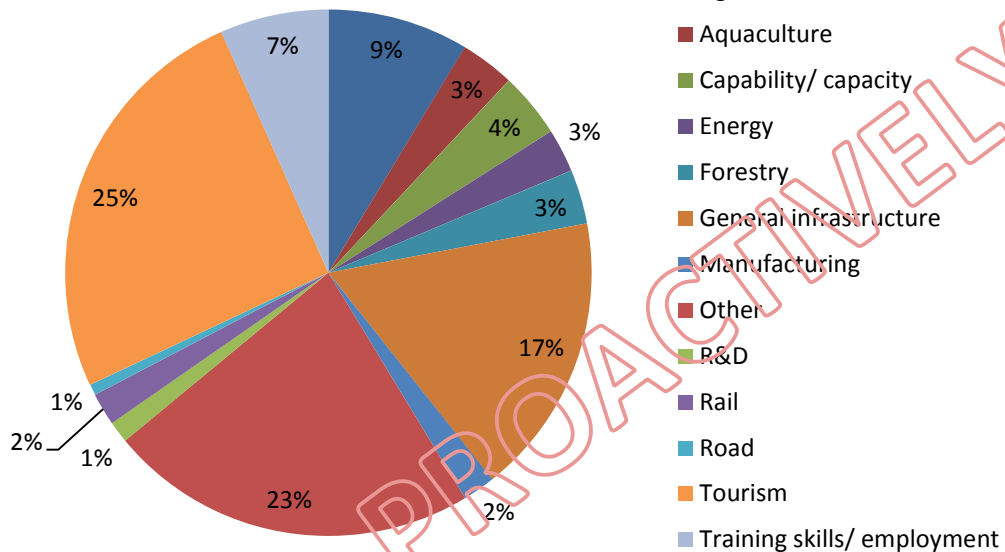
Progression of applications



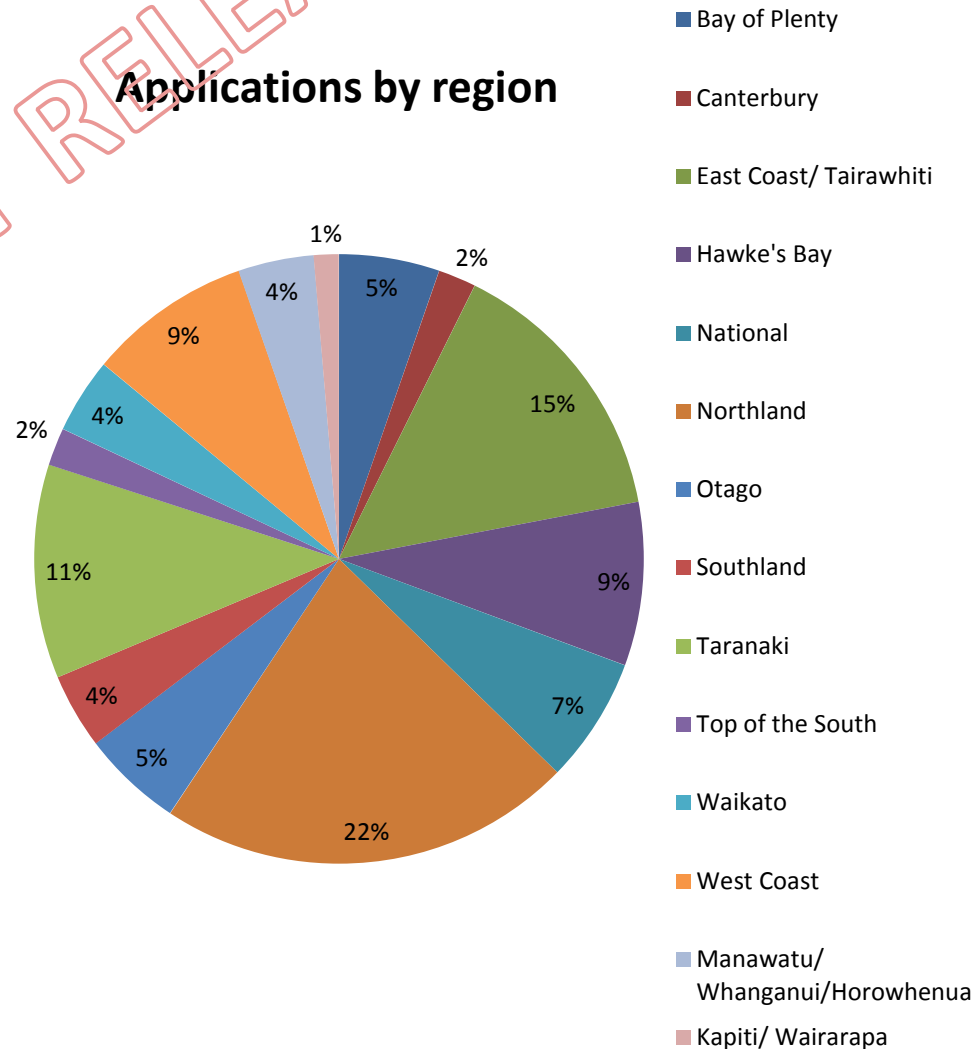


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Applications by sector



Applications by region





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Total funding sought by region - applications and EoI

