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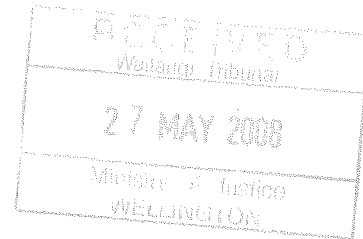
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Whakapapa o Ieni Tapihana

Waitangi Tribunal Claim

92 Arawa Avenue
Maketu RD 9
TEPUKE

To: The Registrar
Waitangi Tribunal
PO Box 5022
WELLINGTON



1. We the following applicants are descendents of Ieni Hans and Te Ao Kore Warangi (also known as Te Hake) Tapsell (Tapihana). We are of Maori race who whakapapa to Ngati Whakaue ki Maketu hapu.

Applicants

	Name	Address	Occupation	Hapu	Tiipuna
1	Theresa Ngawaka Horne	8 Kaniere Street, Mt Maunganui	Retired	Ngati Whakaue ki Maketu	Ieni Hans Tapsell
2	Te Wano Walters	Church Road, Maketu	Retired	Ngati Whakaue ki Maketu	Ieni Hans Tapsell
3	Hone Ihaka Devon	Matapihi Rd	Retired	Ngati Whakaue Ki Maketu	Ieni Hans Tapsell
4	Maru Tapsell	Matapihi Rd	WBOPDC Maori Forum	Ngati Whakaue Ki Maketu	Ieni Hans Tapsell

2. This claim is for our children, ourselves and for the descendents of Ieni Hans Tapsell and his wife Te Ao Kore Warangi (also known as Te Hake).

Claims likely to be affected

3. Claims we are likely to be prejudicially affected by may be any claim that has been submitted by any other Tapsell descendent who have already submitted a Waitangi Tribunal Claim for the same land block. And we claim that these matters are contrary to the principles of the Treaty of Waitangi.

Claim

This claim is for:

1. Maketu A Section 72 Land Block: We believe this land block was originally in the ownership of Ieni Hans Tapsell.
2. Ieni Hans Tapsell (Tapihana) negotiated land claim payments in the 1880's against the Crown and we believe these land claims were not honoured.
3. We claim all other outstanding claims that are likely to appear from the research of Ieni Hans Tapsell (Tapihana)

And we claim that these matters are contrary to the principles of the Treaty of Waitangi.

Relief Sought

4. We seek the following relief:
“The return of the land block Maketu A, Section 72. The return of land claims not honoured by the Crown and any other outstanding land claims of Ieni Hans Tapsell (Tapihana) and his wife Te Ao Kore Werangi covered in this Waitangi Tribunal Claim. We also seek compensation for the stress, and deprivation of our mana whenua over this land and such other relief as the Tribunal considers appropriate”

Researcher

5. We request the Tribunal to commission a researcher to report on the claim.
Refer appendices A

Permission to Amend Claim

6. We ask for permission to amend this claim, if necessary.

Legal Representative

7. The Tribunal is advised that our legal representative is:

~~John Rawiri Rangitauira, 3rd floor Westpac Bldg, 1154 Hinemoa Street, Rotorua. Contact 07 3480034 fax 07 3462933~~ TBA

Venue to hear claim

8. We request the claim to be heard at Whakaue Kaipapa Marae, Maketu Road, Maketu, Te Puke, Bay of Plenty. The contact number for booking this venue is 09 5332256.

Notification of Claim

9. We believe the following persons and organizations should be notified of this claim:

- i. Local Councils including:
 - Environmental Bay of Plenty, 5 Quay Street, Whakatane
 - Western Bay of Plenty District Council, Private Bag 12-803, Tauranga
 - Tauranga City Council, Private Bag 12-022, Tauranga
- ii. Te Arawa Lakes Trust Company – 1194 Haupapa St, Rotorua
- iii. Te Arawa Lakes Trustees – 1194 Haupapa St, Rotorua

First Claim

10. This is our first claim

Contact Details

11. The coordinator for this claim is Maria Horne 92 Arawa Avenue, Maketu RD 9, TE PUKE.
Contact numbers are: 07 533-2256 or 027 2910737.

Signatures of Applicants

12. Signatories of applicants

Date	4 March 2008
Horne – Theresa Ngawaka	Theresa Ngawaka Horne 2/5/08
Walters – Te Wano	T Walters 2/5/08
Devon – Hone Ihaka	Devon Ihaka 2/5/08
Tapsell - Maru	J Tapsell 2-9-March 08

Appendices A

Research Topic

Research Required	Task	Location
Land Blocks in Maketu	Provide evidence to support this Claim. By researching the original land owners and tracking of these land blocks through sale, confiscation, or consolidation	Maori Land Court Rotorua
Maketu Minute Books	The early Maketu Minute Books provide history and evidence that may be relevant to this claim.	Maori Land Court Rotorua
Te Arawa Maori Trust Board Archive Records	Archive records held by the new Te Arawa Lakes Trust. Location of archive records unknown.	Te Arawa Lakes Trust, 1194 Haupapa St, Rotorua
National Archives of New Zealand, Head Office, Wellington	Government Official Letters. We have copies of correspondence between Ieni and the Crown regarding the land claims in this Waitangi Tribunal Claim	Head Office, Wellington

Timetable

The timetable for research is to be discussed when this tribunal claim is in the scoping stage. Input into the scoping shall be made between the lawyer, researcher, contact person and any other person with the approval of the applicants.

Budget

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