

Instrument of Delegation

Delegation of powers and functions to Barnardos New Zealand Incorporated

- Pursuant to clauses 2 and 3 of schedule 6 of the Public Service Act 2020, and with the prior approval of the Minister for Children, I delegate to persons holding the role of manager at
 - Barnardos New Zealand Incorporated (the delegate) the following powers and functions under the Oranga Tamariki Act 1989 ("the Act") to —
 - 1.1 approve support arrangements under section 386AAE(3)(d); and
 - 1.2 monitor the operation of support arrangements against standards set in regulations made under section 447(1)(cb) of the Act, under section 386AAE(4).

Conditions on delegation

- 2. This delegation is subject to the following conditions:
 - 2.1 The delegated powers and functions cannot be sub-delegated to any other person;
 - 2.2 the delegated powers and functions must be exercised or performed in accordance with any guidance or directions issued by the chief executive; and
 - 2.3 the delegated powers and functions must be exercised or performed in accordance with the service specifications of Entitlement to Remain, or Return to Living, with a Caregiver.

Statutory effect of delegation

- 3. In accordance with the Public Service Act 2020:
 - 3.1 The delegate must not delegate a delegated function or power.
 - 3.2 The delegated powers and functions must be exercised or performed in accordance with (a) all relevant statutory obligations including the Privacy Act 2020 and the Public Finance Act 1989:
 - (b) all relevant obligations in minimum standards of conduct and integrity or any other code of conduct issued by the Public Services Commissioner under section 17 of the Public Service Act 2020.
 - 3.3 Information held by the delegate in relation to the exercise or performance of a delegated power or function is deemed to be held by the department for the purposes of the Official Information Act 1982.
 - 3.4 The Ombudsmen Act 1975 and the Official Information Act 1982 apply to the delegate in relation to the exercise or performance of a delegated power or function as if the delegate were an organisation named in Schedule 1 of the Ombudsmen Act 1975.

- 3.5 Where a person is informed by a written document of an action taken by the delegate, the document must,
 - (a) state that the action was taken by a delegate outside the Public Service; and
 - (b) give the delegate's name and office; and
 - (c) state that a copy of this instrument of delegation may be inspected at the chief executive's office.

General terms of delegation

- 4. This instrument of delegation takes effect on 2 December 2020.
- 5. This instrument continues in effect until: (a) it is revoked in writing; or (b) it is superseded.
- 6. I have satisfied myself that the potential conflicts of interest you have disclosed will be properly avoided or managed. Please ensure you disclose and manage any further conflicts or potential conflicts of interest that may arise in relation to this delegation.
- 7. Note that legal advice obtained relating to the delegated function will be protected by the Crown's legal professional privilege. You may not disclose any legal advice that you receive without express permission from the Attorney General.
- 8. In this instrument of delegation the terms otherwise defined in the Oranga Tamariki Act 1989 and the Public Service Act 2020 have the same meanings in this delegation.

At Wellington this 2 nd day of December 2020

Gráinne Moss

Chief Executive

Oranga Tamariki—Ministry for Children