

# Ministerial List for Announcement (to take effect 7 April 2026)

Notes:

1. All Ministers are members of the Executive Council, and are Cabinet Ministers unless otherwise indicated.
2. Warranted portfolios are listed in the left-hand column. Other responsibilities assigned by the Prime Minister are listed in the right-hand column.

## NATIONAL PARTY MINISTERS

### Portfolios

### Other responsibilities

#### **Rt Hon Christopher Luxon**

Prime Minister

Minister for National Security and Intelligence

Minister Responsible for Ministerial Services

#### **Hon Nicola Willis**

Minister of Finance

Minister for Economic Growth

Minister for Social Investment

#### **Hon Chris Bishop**

Attorney-General

Minister of Housing

Minister for Infrastructure

Minister Responsible for RMA Reform

Minister of Transport

Associate Minister of Finance

#### **Hon Simeon Brown**

Minister of Health

Minister for Energy

Minister for State Owned Enterprises

## NATIONAL PARTY MINISTERS

### Portfolios

### Other responsibilities

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#### **Hon Erica Stanford**

Minister of Education  
Minister of Immigration

Lead Coordination Minister for the Government's Response to the Royal Commission's Report into Historical Abuse in State Care and in the Care of Faith-based Institutions

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#### **Hon Paul Goldsmith**

Minister for Arts, Culture and Heritage  
Minister of Justice  
Minister for Media and Communications  
Minister for the Public Service and Digitising Government  
Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations  
Minister for Pacific Peoples

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#### **Hon Louise Upston**

Minister for the Community and Voluntary Sector  
Minister for Disability Issues  
Minister for Social Development and Employment  
Minister for Tourism and Hospitality

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Leader of the House  
Minister for Child Poverty Reduction

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#### **Hon Mark Mitchell**

Minister of Police  
Minister of Corrections  
Minister for Emergency Management and Recovery  
Minister for Ethnic Communities  
Minister for Sport and Recreation

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Associate Minister for National Security and Intelligence

## NATIONAL PARTY MINISTERS

### Portfolios

### Other responsibilities

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#### **Hon Todd McClay**

Minister of Agriculture  
Minister of Forestry  
Minister for Trade and Investment

Associate Minister of Foreign  
Affairs

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#### **Hon Tama Potaka**

Minister of Conservation  
Minister for Māori Crown Relations:  
Te Arawhiti  
Minister for Māori Development  
Minister for Whānau Ora

Associate Minister of Housing

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#### **Hon Matt Doocey**

Minister for Mental Health

Associate Minister of Health

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#### **Hon Simon Watts**

Minister of Climate Change  
Minister of Local Government  
Minister of Revenue

Minister for Auckland

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#### **Hon Chris Penk**

Minister of Defence  
Minister for Building and Construction  
Minister for Veterans  
Minister Responsible for the GCSB and NZSIS  
Minister for Space

Associate Minister for Emergency  
Management and Recovery

## NATIONAL PARTY MINISTERS

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### Portfolios

### Other responsibilities

#### **Hon Penny Simmonds**

Minister for Tertiary Education

Minister of Science, Innovation and Technology

Associate Minister for Social  
Development and Employment

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## NATIONAL PARTY MINISTERS OUTSIDE CABINET

### Portfolios

### Other responsibilities

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#### **Hon Nicola Grigg**

Minister for the Environment  
Minister of State for Trade and Investment  
Minister for Women

Associate Minister for ACC

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#### **Hon James Meager**

Minister for Hunting and Fishing  
Minister for Youth

Minister for the South Island  
Associate Minister of Transport

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#### **Hon Scott Simpson**

Minister for ACC  
Minister of Statistics

Deputy Leader of the House

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#### **Cameron Brewer MP**

Minister of Commerce and Consumer Affairs  
Minister for Small Business and Manufacturing

Associate Minister of Immigration

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#### **Mike Butterick MP**

Minister for Land Information

Associate Minister of Agriculture

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## ACT MINISTERS

### Portfolios

### Other responsibilities

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#### **Hon David Seymour**

Deputy Prime Minister

Minister for Regulation

Associate Minister of Education

Associate Minister of Finance

Associate Minister of Health

Associate Minister of Justice

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#### **Hon Brooke van Velden**

Minister of Internal Affairs

Minister for Workplace Relations and Safety

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#### **Hon Nicole McKee**

Minister for Courts

Associate Minister of Justice

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#### **Hon Andrew Hoggard (outside Cabinet)**

Minister for Biosecurity

Minister for Food Safety

Associate Minister of Agriculture

Associate Minister for the  
Environment

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#### **Hon Karen Chhour (outside Cabinet)**

Minister for Children

Minister for the Prevention of Family and Sexual  
Violence

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### Parliamentary Under-Secretary

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#### **Simon Court MP**

Parliamentary Under-Secretary to the

Minister for Infrastructure

Minister Responsible for RMA Reform

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## NEW ZEALAND FIRST MINISTERS

### Portfolios

### Other responsibilities

#### **Rt Hon Winston Peters**

Minister of Foreign Affairs

Minister for Racing

Minister for Rail

#### **Hon Shane Jones**

Minister for Oceans and Fisheries

Minister for Regional Development

Minister for Resources

Associate Minister of Finance

Associate Minister for Energy

#### **Hon Casey Costello**

Minister of Customs

Minister for Seniors

Associate Minister of Health

Associate Minister of Immigration

Associate Minister of Police

#### **Hon Mark Patterson (outside Cabinet)**

Minister for Rural Communities

Associate Minister of Agriculture

Associate Minister for Regional  
Development

## Parliamentary Under-Secretary

#### **Jenny Marcroft MP**

Parliamentary Under-Secretary to the

Minister for Media and Communications

Minister for Oceans and Fisheries