

## APPENDIX TWO

### Extracts from the Pounamu Resource Management Plan (TRONT, 2002)

#### ***In-situ (natural state) pounamu/greenstone accidental discovery***

*Pursuant to the Ngai Tahu (Pounamu Vesting) Act 1997, all natural state pounamu/greenstone in the Ngai Tahu tribal area is owned by Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu. The Ngai Tahu Pounamu Resource Management Plan provides for the following measures:*

#### **Policy 4 (p 62):**

Any pounamu (greenstone) accidentally discovered should be reported to the Pounamu Management Officer of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu as soon as is practicable. (policy 4)

#### **Policy 6 (p 65):**

Any artefact made of pounamu discovered or found within the Ngai Tahu takiwa should be left untouched and notified immediately to the local regional museum who will in turn notify Ngai Tahu. If the artefact happens to be collected it should be handed directly to the appropriate regional museum along with all information about the find

#### **Method iv, p 67)**

In the event that the finder considers the pounamu is at immediate risk of loss such as erosion, animal damage to the site or theft, the pounamu/greenstone should be carefully covered over and/or relocated to the nearest safe ground. The find should then be notified immediately to the Pounamu Management Officer.

#### **Policy 29 (p 101):**

All pounamu discovered, other than through authorised collection, regardless of size is the property of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu and cannot be removed without consultation with Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu and authorisation from the appropriate Kaitiaki Runanga.

#### **Public fossicking policy 19 (p 89):**

Fossicking for pounamu by the public is only allowed on beaches along the West Coast and is limited to what an individual can carry by hand or bag/backpack and is limited to one such take per 24 hour period.

Other policies include:

Kaupapa 20 & 21 – Customary and Cultural Collection Policies (pg 92)

Kaupapa 25 Extraction Policy for Te Runaka o Kati Waewae Takiwa (Pg 99)

Kaupapa 26 Extraction Policy for Te Runanga o Makaawhio Takiwa (Pg99)