

Takutai Moana Pānui – 26 September 2024

AMENDMENT BILL INTRODUCED INTO PARLIAMENT

This pānui advises Takutai Moana applicants of the next steps for the amendments to Section 58 of the Marine and Coastal Area (Takutai Moana) Act 2011 (the Act)

The Marine and Coastal Area (Takutai Moana) (Customary Marine Title) Amendment Bill (the Bill) was introduced to Parliament on Tuesday 25 September 2024 and has passed its First Reading.

A copy of the Bill can be found here [Marine and Coastal Area \(Takutai Moana\) \(Customary Marine Title\) Amendment Bill \(bills.parliament.nz\)](#)

The Minister's press release can be found here [Restoration of Customary Marine Title test begins | Beehive.govt.nz](#)

Making a submission

There will be an opportunity for you to have your say via the Select Committee process.

The Bill has been referred to the Justice Committee and information on the process to make a public submission will be able to be accessed here [Select committees - New Zealand Parliament \(www.parliament.nz\)](#)

If you have any pātai, please contact our team at takutaimoana@tearawhiti.govt.nz