

27380 (2026) Table: Board and committee appointments and reappointments made by the Minister of Education since November 2023.

	Term Start date	Appointment type	Role	Fee upon appointment	Fee as 8 June 2026	Date of increase
Education New Zealand						
Piers Bebbington	1 May 2026	Appointment	Member	\$16,800 pa	Same as at appointment	NA
Dr Therese Arseneau	1 May 2026	Reappointment and change in role from member to Deputy	Deputy Chair	\$21,000 pa	Same as at appointment	
Sara Brownlie	7 July 2025	Appointment	Member	\$16,800 pa	Same as at appointment	
Prabha Ravi	7 July 2025	Appointment	Member	\$16,800 pa	Same as at appointment	
Tony Gray	3 Nov 2025	Appointment	Chair	\$32,000 pa	Same as at appointment	
New Zealand Qualifications Authority						
Jeremy Baker	29 Oct 2024	Reappointment	Member	\$22,680 pa	\$40,824 pa	2 December 2025 (Backdated to 1 July 2025)
David Ferguson	29 Oct 2024	Appointment	Member	\$22,680 pa	\$40,824 pa	
Kevin Jenkins	26 July 2024	Appointment	Chair	\$45,360 pa	\$83,349 pa	
Bill Moran MNZM	26 July 2024	Appointment	Deputy Chair	\$28,350 pa	\$511,030 pa	
Andree Atkinson	26 July 2024	Appointment	Member	\$22,680 pa	\$40,824 pa	
Te Aho o Te Kura Pounamu						
Dr Will Flavell	26 Nov 2025	Reappointment	Member	\$15,582 pa	NA – has resigned	NA
Hinerangi Edwards ONZM	20 Oct 2025	Reappointment	Chair	\$30,051 pa	Same as at appointment	
Professor Alister Jones	20 March 2025	Appointment	Member	\$15,582 pa	Same as at appointment	
Andree Atkinson	29 Oct 2024	Appointment	Member	\$15,582 pa	Same as at appointment	
Dr Gabrielle Wall	20 March 2024	Appointment	Member	\$15,582 pa	Same as at appointment	
Danny Tuato'o	29 Oct 2024	Appointment	Member	\$15,582 pa	Same as at appointment	

New Zealand National Commission for UNESCO						
Linda Faulkner	30 March 2026	Reappointment	Natural Sciences Commissioner	Up to \$8,961 pa	Same as at reappointment	Increase approved on 12 Dec 2025 Up to \$12,900 from 1 July 2026
Liz Longworth	30 March 2026	Reappointment	Chair	\$18,025 pa	Same as at reappointment	Increase approved on 12 Dec 2025 \$25,800 pa from 1 July 2026
Dr Masha McCauley	17 Dec 2025	Appointment	Communication and Information Commissioner	Up to \$8,961 pa	Same as at appointment	Increase approved on 12 Dec 2025 Up to \$12,900 from 1 July 2026
Laura Black	1 Nov 2024	Appointment	Social Sciences Commissioner	Up to \$8,961 pa	Same as at appointment	
Professor Gail Gillon	1 Nov 2024	Appointment	Social Sciences Commissioner	Up to \$8,961 pa	Sameas at appointment	
Teaching Council of Aotearoa New Zealand						
Debbie Francis	9 Feb 2026	Appointment	Member	\$800 daily fee	Same as at appointment	NA
Patrick Drumm	17 Dec 2025	Appointment	Member	\$800 daily fee	Same as at appointment	NA
Dame Susan Hassall DNZM JP	29 Aug 2025	Appointment	Member	\$700 daily fee	\$800 daily fee	2 Dec 2025
Andree Atkinson	2 July 2025	Appointment	Member	\$700 daily fee	\$800 daily fee	2 Dec 2025
David Ferguson	2 July 2025	Appointment	Member	\$900 daily fee	NA – resigned	NA
Dr Sarah Brown	2 July 2025	Appointment	Member	\$700 daily fee	\$800 daily fee	2 Dec 2025
Heath Chittenden	2 July 2025	Reappointment	Member	\$700 daily fee	\$800 daily fee	2 Dec 2025
Tom Gott	2 July 2025	Appointment	Member then Deputy Chair	\$700 daily \$875 daily fee	NA – resigned	NA
Heath Chittenden	23 April 2025	Appointment	Member	\$700 daily fee	NA – reappointed	2 Dec 2025
Establishment Board of the New Zealand School Property Agency						
Hon Murray McCully CNZM	17 Dec 2025	Appointment	Chair	\$1,500 daily fee	Same as at appointment	NA
Mark Binns	17 Dec 2025	Appointment	Member	\$1,000 daily fee	Same as at appointment	NA

Rick Herd	17 Dec 2025	Appointment	Member	\$1,000 daily fee	Same as at appointment	NA
Sarah Petersen	17 Dec 2025	Appointment	Member	\$1,000 daily fee	Same as at appointment	NA