I wish to inform name of service of an interest I hold under the categories noted.  **The conflict of interest** may be considered potential or actual when exercising decisions and actions in my role within the organisation.

**Conflict of Interest**

A conflict of interest exists in any situation when a person has a financial interest, a private, personal or familial interest, a business interest sufficient to influence, or appear to influence, the impartial exercise of duties or professional judgments.

**Please tick the categories that apply to your area of conflict of interest with name of service below:**

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| **Conflict of Interest Definitions**  |  **✓** |
| **Financial Interest**The term financial interest means anything of monetary value, including but not limited to:* Salary or payment for services (for example: consulting fees and honoraria);
* Equity interests (for example shares, share options and other ownership interests);
* Gifts;
* Allowances, forgiveness of debts, interests in real estate, or personal property, dividends, rents, capital gains; and
* Intellectual property rights (for example: patents, copyrights and royalties from these rights).
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| **Personal Interest**A Board member/staff member has a personal interest in a matter if his or her spouse or partner, or other person in his or her family and whānau, or person with whom there is a close friendship, could be advantaged or disadvantaged, by any decision that the staff member either can make, or does make, or is in a position to influence.  |  |
| **Business Interest**A Board member/staff member will have a business interest in an enterprise seeking to do business with the Trust if he or she; * Is a director of the enterprise:
* Is an owner of, or partner in the enterprise:
* Has a significant shareholding (equal to or greater than 20% shareholding) in the enterprise:
* Has a close personal or familial relationship with a person who is an owner or partner, or significant shareholder in the enterprise.
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| **Please detail the Conflict of Interest you wish to disclose:** |
| **Please detail action you propose to reduce, mitigate, or eliminate the conflict of interest:** |

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| **Name of staff member with the conflict (please print)** | **Job title** |
| **Name of Board member/Director with the conflict (please print)** | **Role** |
| **Signature** | **Date** |
| **Proposed action to address conflict of interest.****(This Section to be completed by Chairperson of the Board/Director/CEO)** |
| **Approved action:** |  |
| **Declined action (and reason for declined):** |  |
| **Alternative action required to manage conflict of interest (detail below):**  |  |
| **Name of Chair of the Board/Director** |  |
| **Signature of Chair of the Board/Director** | **Date** |
| **Name of CEO** |  |
| **Signature of CEO** | **Date** |

***Copy to staff /Board member. Original is maintained by........... in the register of interests.***