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# Strengthening social cohesion in Aotearoa New Zealand

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*6 April 2022, Social Cohesion Work Programme Process – Double Diamond*

*6 April 2022, Social Cohesion Oral Item slides, Social Wellbeing Committee*

*6 April 2022, Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee Minute of Decision - Oral Item: Social Cohesion SWC-22-MIN-0040, Cabinet Office*

*22 June 2022, Cabinet paper – Strengthening social cohesion in Aotearoa New Zealand, including:*

* *Appendix One – What we’ve heard*
* *Appendix Two – Social Cohesion in Aotearoa: Baseline report summary*
* *Appendix Three – Social Cohesion Strategic Framework (Formal version)*
* *Appendix Four – Social Cohesion Measurement Framework*
* *Appendix Five – Social Cohesion Government Work Programme*
* *Appendix Six – How you can contribute information sheets*
* *Appendix Seven – Social Cohesion Strategic Framework (Illustrated version)*

*22 June 2022, Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee Minute of Decision – Strengthening Social Cohesion in Aotearoa New Zealand SWC-22-MIN-0113, Cabinet Office.*

This release includes papers, minutes and key advice provided by the Ministry of Social Development to Minister Radhakrishnan to support her in seeking Cabinet’s agreement to a package of policy products and approach to strengthening social cohesion in Aotearoa New Zealand. This approach responds to recommendations 29, 31, and 37 of *Ko tō tātou kāinga tēnei*, the report of the Royal Commission of Inquiry into the terrorist attack on Christchurch masjidain on 15 March 2019.

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Please note – Appendix 4 Social Cohesion - Measurement Framework has a typographical error in the Key data sources table on page 9: the frequency is stated as a ‘Biennial’ survey, but instead it is a ‘post-Censal’ survey which runs every alternate Census (so the survey is run every 10 years). Te Kupenga is next scheduled for 2028.

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