



New Zealand House of Representatives
Te Whare Māngai o Aotearoa

Education and Workforce Committee

Komiti Whiriwhiri Take Kuranga, Take Hunga Mahi

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Petition of Paul Bakker: Change criteria for vaccine-injured Kiwis getting ACC help

The Education and Workforce Committee has considered the petition of Paul Bakker, which was presented to the House on 17 December 2025 by Tim van de Molen and transferred to us on 29 January 2026. The petition was signed by 935 people, and requests:

That the House of Representatives ensure that people who have suffered a vaccine injury but can't get a specialist diagnosis can get ACC assistance.

We acknowledge the petitioner's work to bring this concern to us. We have no matters to bring to the attention of the House. We recommend that the House take note of our report.

Presented to the House of Representatives
by Katie Nimon, Chairperson