



MAHI MIHINARE  
ANGLICAN ACTION

## GAMING FUNDING POLICY

<b>Category:</b>	Finance
<b>Last Review Date:</b>	October 2021
<b>Next Review Date:</b>	October 2023
<b>Endorsed by:</b>	The Anglican Action Missioner
<b>Approved by:</b>	The Anglican Action Mission Trust Board

### Purpose

To maintain the position of Anglican Action as being opposed to gambling.

### Statement

Anglican Action recognises the destructive impact gambling has on our most vulnerable communities and supports taking action to end harmful problem gambling in Aotearoa New Zealand. To this end Anglican Action will not apply for or receive funds procured through the use of gaming machines or any other form of gambling.

### Scope

This policy applies to any Anglican Action staff member responsible for seeking or receiving funds either directly for the Mission or for any programme or activity associated with the Mission.

### Definitions

Staff member	Staff member means all employees (permanent, fixed-term, or casual), consultants, contractors, service providers, students, and volunteers engaged by the Mission.
Funds	Funds means a sum of money or other resources set apart for a specific objective.

## Policy

1. Anglican Action will not apply for or receive any funds that have been procured through the use of gaming machines (local gaming trusts).
2. Anglican Action will not apply for or receive any funds that have been procured through any other form or gambling (lotteries).

## Procedures

1. Any staff member responsible for seeking or receiving funds either directly for the Mission or for any programme or activity associated with the Mission must undertake due diligence to ensure the funds being sought or received have not been procured through the use of gaming machines or any other form or gambling.

## Key Accountabilities & Responsibilities

Person / Party	Responsibilities
Governance	Review policy every two years or as required.
Management	Ensure that staff members responsible for seeking or receiving funds are aware of this policy.
Leadership	Ensure that staff members are aware of this policy.
Staff	Are aware of this policy.

## Related Policies, Legislation, Regulations and Documents

- [Gambling Act 2003](#)