Director: OSPRI

OSPRI is the lead biosecurity agency for New Zealand's animal industries, jointly owned by DairyNZ, Beef+Lamb NZ and Deer Industry NZ. Currently, OSPRI's operations include managing the National Animal Identification and Tracing (NAIT) and TBfree programmes, which are jointly funded by OSPRI's owners and the Ministry for Primary Industries.

OSPRI is seeking an additional Director, to broaden and deepen the Board's skills and experience. Applicants should bring:

As a primary attribute:

 Governance experience, with time at Chair or Committee Chair level

In addition to:

- Demonstrated understanding of and connection to key primary industry sectors, throughout the value chain
- Relevant and up-to-date knowledge of the regulatory environment related to biosecurity
- Strategic understanding and leadership relevant to organisation change, people and performance management and culture change
- Technology and innovation awareness, relevant to biosecurity and information systems

 Understanding of te ao Māori and Māori organisations relevant to animal biosecurity operations.

The appointment will take effect from the Annual Meeting in November 2022, for an initial term of 3 years.

The OSPRI Shareholders' Council is responsible for recommending Board appointees to shareholders.

Further information is available from the Stakeholders' Council Chair - Dr James Buwalda E james@innovationstrategy.co.nz

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Applications should be submitted by 8 June 2022.

