

RACING SAFETY DEVELOPMENT FUND

You are invited to submit a request for funding from the first round of the Racing Safety Development Fund (Fund) for the 2017/18 funding year.

The Fund supports projects that improve racecourse health and safety, and the upgrade of racecourse facilities. I encourage you to consider whether your facilities and equipment are safe for all racing personnel, your customers, and racing animals.

There is \$1 million (GST exclusive) available for distribution in the two funding rounds this financial year. The first round opens on 2 August 2017 and closes on 27 September 2017. The second round will open on 14 February 2018 and close on 11 April 2018.

All club secretaries are aware that the Department of Internal Affairs has implemented an on-line application process for all the grants it administers, including this Fund. Please re-familiarise yourself with the process by updating any of your organisation or personnel profiles as needed.

On-line applications to the Fund should be completed and submitted by 27 September 2017.

Should you wish to discuss an application or the new application process please contact Dalpat Nana on 0800 824 824. Further information on the applications process is available on www.communitymatters.govt.nz



Hon David Bennett
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