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Update on the Tier 3 and 4 Reporting Standards



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Kia ora and welcome!

Overview

Welcome

Reporting changes for tier 4

Reporting changes for tier 3

Where to find help

Q&A session

Before we begin the webinar...

Can you hear us?

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Recording and Resources

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Q&A

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Tiers 3 and 4 Update

November 2024
Accounting Standards Team

About XRB

Purpose

XRB is responsible for developing and issuing financial reporting, auditing and assurance, and climate standards.

Strategic intent

Trusted



Informative



Integrated



What we deliver

- Financial reporting standards
- Audit and Assurance standards
- Climate standards
- Guidance and implementation support
- International liaison

Vision

New Zealand prospers through effective decision making for resource allocation informed by high-quality, trusted, and integrated reporting.



Reporting in New Zealand

Two key questions:

Who has to report?

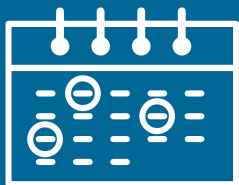
Set in legislation

What information gets reported?

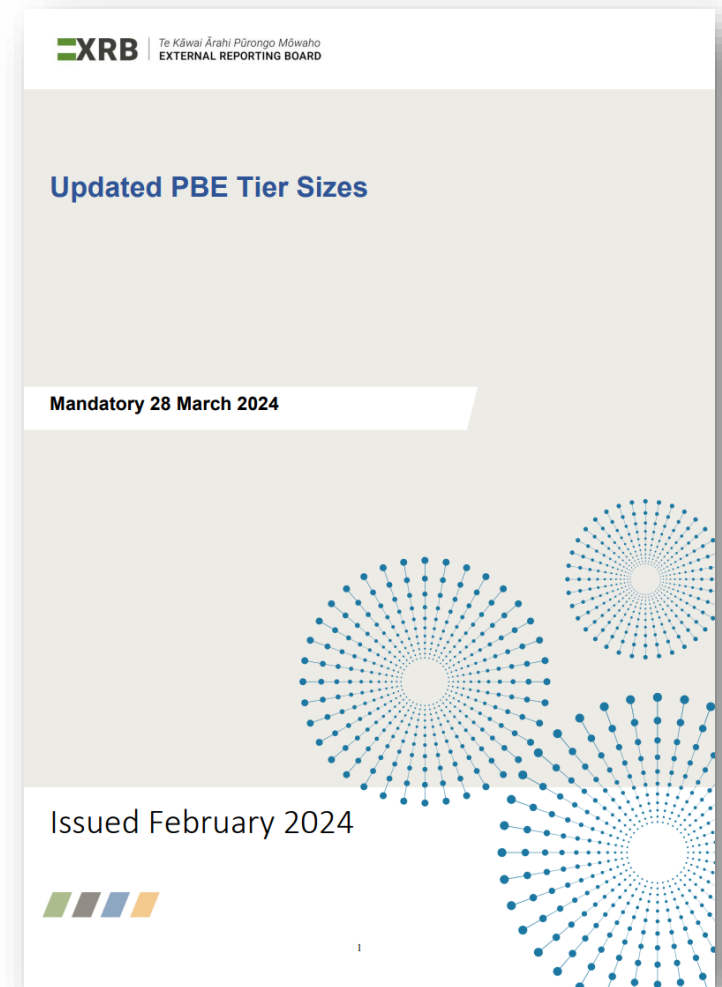
Set in standards

Reporting Tier Sizes

- Amendments increase the tier size thresholds
- Tier 2
 - Less than **\$33 million total expenses**
- Tier 3
 - Less than **\$5 million total expenses**

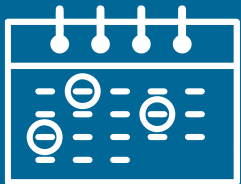


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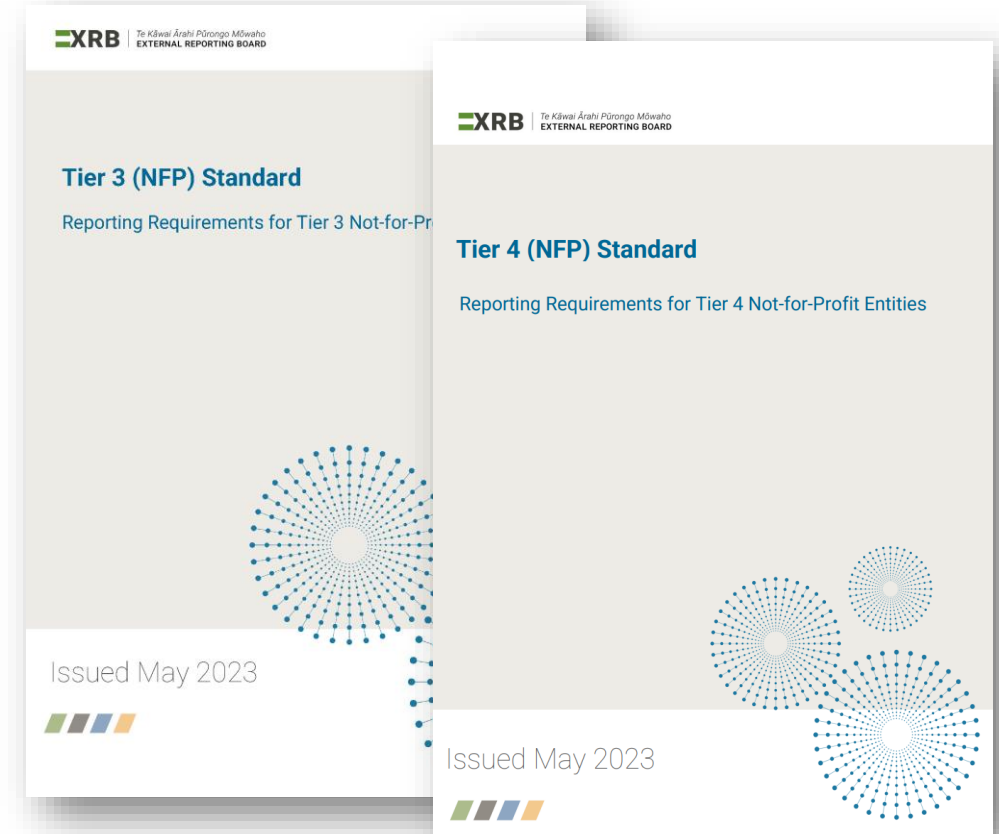


New Tier 3 and Tier 4 Standards

- New standards, guidance, templates available on our website
 - [Tier 3 \(Not-for-profit\) Standard](#)
 - [Tier 4 \(Not-for-profit\) Standard](#)



Mandatory date: 1 April 2024



Tier 4 Overhaul

Our focus: Ease of use



Tier 4 Overhaul

Your feedback mattered



- Reduced uncertainty
 - Removed the term “significant” where possible
 - Made requirements more rules-based
 - E.G. The Standard is explicit about which assets are significant
- Minimised requirements
 - Removed some requirements
 - Made other requirements optional

Tier 3 Improvements

Our focus: Remove pain points and make targeted improvements

When revenue should be recorded

- Made it easier to align with the organisation's activities

Asset valuation

- Revaluation requirements for some assets now in the Tier 3 Standard

Other changes

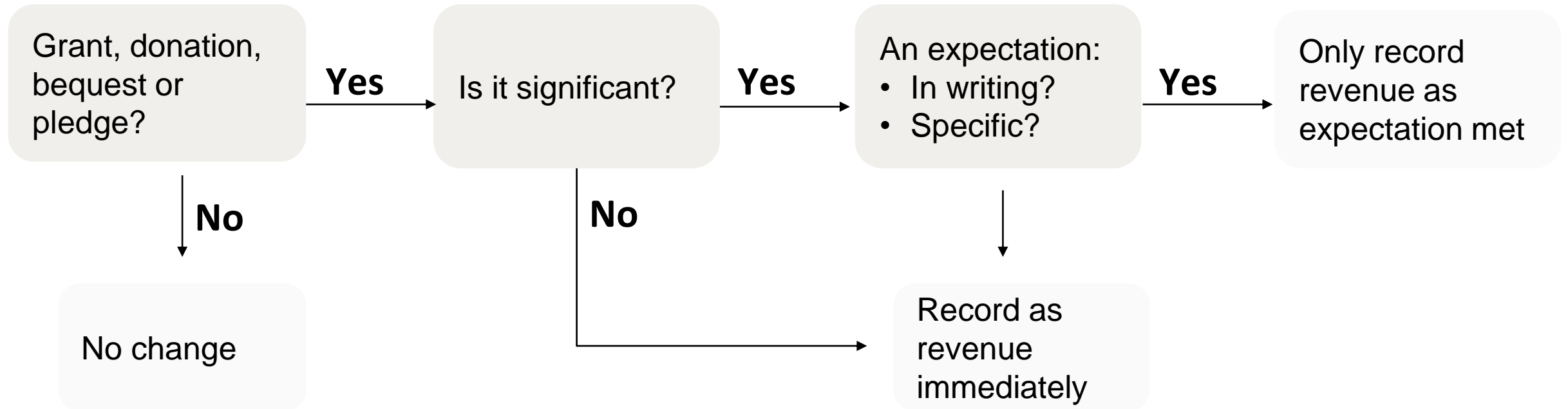
- Revenue and Expense Categories
- Accumulated funds disclosures

Tier 3 Improvements When to record Revenue

Our focus: Increasing flexibility around when revenue is recorded for grants & donations

What we've changed

- Removed “use or return” requirement and replaced with “documented expectation” requirement



Tier 3 improvements

Asset valuation – making it simple



***Our focus:** Allowing simple asset revaluations*

What we've changed

Property, plant and equipment

- **All** can be revalued
- Independent valuation or rateable value
- Added investment property as an optional class

Investments

- **Publicly traded investments** can be revalued
- Based on market rates

Other changes to Tier 3

Revenue and expense categories

Increase in the number of required categories

No longer can separate the required categories into sub-groups

Accumulated funds

Some additional disclosures

Separate presentation required for different types of reserves



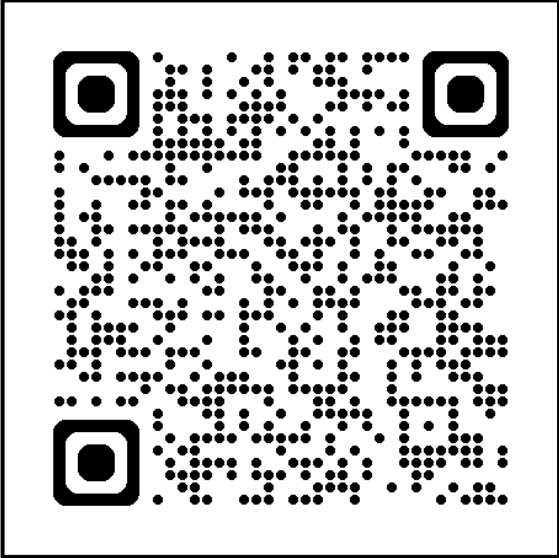
Service performance reporting – simplified and easier to follow

More information on how you opt up to Tier 2

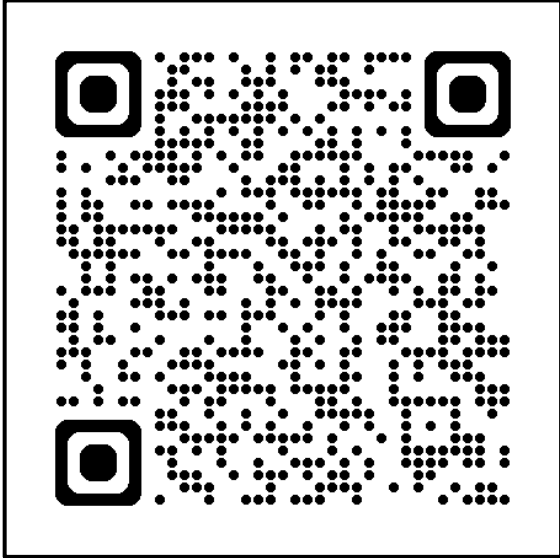
XRB Standards Navigator



The screenshot shows the XRB Standards Navigator interface. At the top, the XRB logo and name 'Te Kāwai Ārahi Pūrongo Mōwaho EXTERNAL REPORTING BOARD' are visible. A search bar is present. The main heading is 'Tier 3 (NFP) Standard' with a sub-heading 'Reporting Requirements for Tier 3 Not-for-Profit Entities'. A 'Mandatory Date' dropdown is set to '1 April 2024'. A 'Download file' button is available. A table of contents is on the left, and the main content area shows the 'Preface' section, including a 'Statement of Authority' and 'Copyright' information.



Tier 3 (NFP) Standard



Tier 4 (NFP) Standard

Other options for Tier 4 reporting

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Simple Tier 4 template

- 6 pages
- Good for very small organisations

or

Combined Annual Return and Performance report

- Statement of Service Performance,
- Information about cash received and paid by your charity during the financial year,
- Whether or not you are registered for GST, and
- Descriptions of any related party transactions.

Questions?

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Thank you