



Speech Notes

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Associate Minister for Arts, Culture and Heritage

2007 Arts Pasifika Awards

Auckland War Memorial Museum Event Centre

12 November 2007

Talofa lava (Samoa), **Kia orana koutou,**
katoatoa (Cook Island), **Taloha ni** (Tokelau),
Malo e lelei (Tonga), **Fakaalofa lahi atu**
(Niue), **Talofa** (Tuvalu), **Ni sa bula vinaka**
(Fiji), **la orana** (Tahiti), **Gud de tru**
(Melanesian)

I bring warm pacific greetings from our Prime Minister – Rt Hon Helen Clark and newly appointed Minister for Pacific Island Affairs – Hon Luamanuvao Winnie Laban.