

**CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION OF TAONGA TŪTURU**  
*Tiwhikete mō te āta Tirohanga i tētahi Taonga Tūturu*



Section 16 of the Protected Objects Act 1975  
*Wāhanga 16 o te Protected Objects Act 1975*

National registration Number **Y 20987**  
*Te Nama Rēhita ā-Motu*

1. Type of Taonga tūturu : Toki  
*Te Momo Taonga Tūturu*

2. Taonga tūturu measurements (in centimetres)  
*Ngā inenga o te taonga tūturu (ā-henimita)*

max length top to bottom of object	max depth front to back of object	max width side to side of object	weight grams
28.20	2.20	9.00	1304.50

3. Description of taonga tūturu, including material and distinguishing characteristics:  
*Ngā whakamārama mō te āhua o te taonga tūturu, tae atu ki ōna rawa taketake me ōna āhuatanga motuhake*

Adze. Shallow quadrangular cross-section. No differentiation between the butt and blade. Short, straight bevel, no line of demarcation. Flakes, chips detached from along edge. Evidence of hammer dressing on back of blade and butt. Polished on front, back, and sides. Basalt.

4. Graphic record made:  
*I tāia, i tangohia rānei he whakaahua*



5. Any known circumstance of the finding of the taonga tūturu (including locality and date), or any history  
*Tētahi kitenga, mehemea i mōhiotia, o te taonga tūturu (tae atu ki te takiwā, te tau), ētahi atu kōrero tuku iho rānei*

No known history

6. Name and address of current owner  
*Te ingoa, te wāhi noho o te kaupuru o nāianei*

I certify that I examined the above described taonga tūturu and that the information given in this certificate is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.  
*E whakaū ana au nāku i āta tiroiro ki te taonga tūturu e whakamāramatia ake nei, ā, ki tāku e mōhio tūturu ana, he pono, he tika ngā kōrero katoa i tēnei tiwhikete.*

Signature: Cameron Woolford  
*Waitohu*

Date: 09/08/2019  
*Rā*

Position: Collection Manager, Taonga Māori  
*Tūranga*

**Authorising Museum:** Auckland War Memorial Museum  
*Whare Pupuru Taonga Whakamana*