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## Letter of Endorsement

### NZ Paralympian #158 Adam Hall MNZM – IPC Athletes’ Council Candidate

On behalf of Paralympics New Zealand (PNZ), we provide this full endorsement for the candidacy of NZ Paralympian #158 Adam Hall MNZM, for the International Paralympic Committee (IPC) Athletes’ Council.

Selected to compete for the NZ Paralympic Team at his sixth Paralympic Winter Games at Milano Cortina 2026, Adam has a distinguished career on the snow, as a two-time Paralympic Gold and three-time Paralympic Bronze medallist. At the 2018 PyeongChang Paralympic Winter Games Adam received the Whang Youn Dai Achievement Award, given to only two Paralympians who best embody the spirit of the Paralympic Movement.

Off the field of play, Adam has emerged as a true leader representing the Para athlete voice. As an active member of the PNZ Athletes’ Council, Adam combines his multi-Paralympic Games experience together with his advocacy experience, to bring an informed and considered Para athlete voice, which provides governance and management advice to influence matters impacting Paralympians and Para athletes.

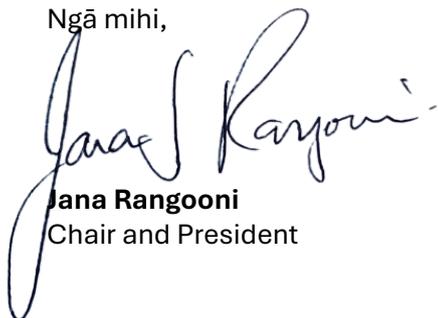
At a global level, Adam is an active member of the International Ski Federation (FIS) Athletes’ Commission, and one of the Commission members who represents the athlete voice on the full FIS Council. Accordingly, Adam is at the centre of key global decision making in Para snow sports, that forms such an integral part of Paralympic Winter Games opportunities for Para athletes around the world.

With his record equalling sixth Paralympic Games appearance for the NZ Paralympic Team, there is no sign of Adam slowing down, and he remains fully committed to ensuring that the Para athlete voice is embedded in discussions, processed, and outcomes that continue to advance the Paralympic Movement.

Adam is an outstanding ambassador for the Paralympic Movement, both in Aotearoa New Zealand, and globally, and we fully recommend him to your Para athletes as the ideal candidate to contribute positively to the IPC Athletes’ Council.

Thank you in advance for sharing Adam’s candidacy with Para athletes selected to represent your National Paralympic Committee at the Milano Cortina 2026 Paralympic Winter Games.

Ngā mihi,

  
**Jana Rangooni**  
Chair and President

  
**Greg Warnecke**  
Chief Executive Officer and Secretary General