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“A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way. “

-JOHN MAXWELL

John Wilkinson has been at the forefront of ensuring that the "food service sector" of the hospitality industry in New Zealand have well trained professionally qualified staff chefs and managers, in his role as a director of the Hospitality Standards Institute (HSI).

John was invited to join the Board because of his technical knowledge of food service and catering, both in New Zealand and internationally, as well as his then senior General Manger role for one of New Zealand's largest food services companies. John's commercial ability saw him appointed to the Institute's finance committee, where his understanding of balance sheets and the commercial transactions during the HSI's expansion were highly valued.

John's creation of "Consultant Catering" and its offering of a specialised independent service to organisations, which depend on food services being delivered in an innovative efficient and safe way in their own premises, is an overdue development and demonstrates further his commitment to this sector of the industry.

John's contribution as a director of the HSI over a 14 year period, in various governance roles, has prepared him well for further governance opportunities for which he is highly suited.

