Privacy Amendment Act 2003

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The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

- (1) This Act is the Privacy Amendment Act 2003.
- (2) In this Act, the Privacy Act 1993 is called "the principal Act".

2 Commencement

This Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

3 Procedure after investigation

Section 77(2) and (3) of the principal Act is amended by omitting the words "Proceedings Commissioner" in each

place where they occur, and substituting in each case the words "Director of Human Rights Proceedings".

4 Damages

Section 88(2) of the principal Act is amended by omitting the words "by the Privacy Commissioner".

5 Protection and privileges of witnesses, etc

- (1) Section 94(1B)(a)(iii) and (b) of the principal Act is amended by omitting the words "Proceedings Commissioner" in each place where they occur, and substituting in each case the words "Director of Human Rights Proceedings".
- (2) Section 94(1B)(b) of the principal Act is amended by omitting the words "Complaints Review Tribunal", and substituting the words "Human Rights Review Tribunal".

6 Commissioner and staff to maintain secrecy

Section 116(3) of the principal Act is amended by omitting the words "Proceedings Commissioner", and substituting the words "Director of Human Rights Proceedings".

Legislative history

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