

# **Tariff (Zero Duty Removal) Amendment Act 2000**

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### **The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:**

#### **1 Title**

- (1) This Act is the Tariff (Zero Duty Removal) Amendment Act 2000.
- (2) In this Act, the Tariff Act 1988 is called “the principal Act”.

#### **2 Commencement**

This Act comes into force on 1 June 2000.

### **3 Repeal of provisions relating to removal and reductions of tariff duties**

- (1) The principal Act is amended by repealing sections 3A and 3B.
- (2) The principal Act is consequentially amended—
  - (a) by omitting from section 2 the words “, subject to sections 3A and 3B,” where they appear in the definitions of the terms Normal Tariff, Preferential Tariff, Standard Tariff, and Tariff;
  - (b) by omitting from section 3 the words “(but subject to sections 3A and 3B)”;
  - (c) by omitting note A1 from the beginning of Schedule 1.

### **4 Repeal of Tariff (Zero Duty) Amendment Act 1998**

The Tariff (Zero Duty) Amendment Act 1998 (1998 No 100) is repealed.

### **5 Cancellation of future reductions in duty by Order in Council**

Nothing in section 9(2) of the principal Act prevents the Governor-General from making an Order in Council that has the effect of revoking or cancelling any reduction or removal of duty if—

- (a) the reduction or removal of duty—
  - (i) is specified in an Order in Council; and
  - (ii) has not yet taken effect; and
- (b) the Governor-General is satisfied that the reduction or removal of duty was made to give effect to sections 3A and 3B of the principal Act (as repealed by section 3 of this Act).

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#### **Legislative history**

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23 May 2000	Third reading

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