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# Climate Change (Other Removal Activities) Amendment Regulations 2019

Patsy Reddy, Governor-General

### **Order in Council**

At Wellington this 23rd day of September 2019

#### Present:

Her Excellency the Governor-General in Council

These regulations are made under section 168(1)(m) of the Climate Change Response Act 2002 on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council.

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## Regulations

#### 1 Title

These regulations are the Climate Change (Other Removal Activities) Amendment Regulations 2019.

#### 2 Commencement

These regulations come into force on 1 January 2020.

#### **3** Principal regulations

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These regulations amend the Climate Change (Other Removal Activities) Regulations 2009 (the **principal regulations**).

# 4 Regulation 8 amended (Threshold for exporting synthetic greenhouse gases activity)

After regulation 8(2)(g), insert:

(h) the refrigeration system of a shipping container.

Michael Webster, Clerk of the Executive Council.

#### **Explanatory note**

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations, which come into force on 1 January 2020, amend the Climate Change (Other Removal Activities) Regulations 2009 (the **principal regulations**). The regulations introduce the refrigeration system of a shipping container into the definition of excluded goods for the purposes of regulation 8 of the principal regulations. Excluded goods under regulation 8 are not subject to the threshold for the activity of exporting synthetic greenhouse gas.

#### **Regulatory impact assessment**

The Ministry for the Environment produced a regulatory impact assessment on 15 August 2019 to help inform the decisions taken by the Government relating to the contents of this instrument.

A copy of this regulatory impact assessment can be found at—

- https://www.mfe.govt.nz/regulatory-impact-statements/nzets-regulationupdates-2019-synthetic-greenhouse-gases-refrigerated-shipping-containers
- http://www.treasury.govt.nz/publications/informationreleases/ria

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