



**Ombudsmen Act
(Schedule 1—Canterbury
Earthquake Recovery Authority)
Order 2014**

Jerry Mateparae, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 8th day of December 2014

Present:
His Excellency the Governor-General in Council

Pursuant to section 32 of the Ombudsmen Act 1975, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council, makes the following order.

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- 1 Title**
This order is the Ombudsmen Act (Schedule 1—Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority) Order 2014.
- 2 Commencement**
This order comes into force on 1 February 2015.
- 3 Part 1 of Schedule 1 of Ombudsmen Act 1975 amended**
In the Ombudsmen Act 1975, Schedule 1, Part 1, repeal the item relating to the Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority.
- 4 Revocation**
The Ombudsmen Act (Schedule 1—Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority) Order 2011 (SR 2011/66) is revoked.

Michael Webster,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Explanatory note

This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This order, which comes into force on 1 February 2015, removes the Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority (**CERA**) from Part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Ombudsmen Act 1975 (which lists the government departments to which that Act applies). CERA is being dis-established as a government department and established instead as a departmental agency hosted by the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet. The Ombudsmen Act 1975 and the Official Information Act 1982 will apply to CERA as a departmental agency, because they apply to its host department, the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.

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