



ANALYSIS

Title	1. Short Title 2. Declaration of secrecy
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1988, No. 213

An Act to amend the Statistics Act 1975

[16 December 1988]

BE IT ENACTED by the Parliament of New Zealand as follows:

1. Short Title—This Act may be cited as the Statistics Amendment Act 1988, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Statistics Act 1975 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act).

2. Declaration of secrecy—Section 21 of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, after subsection (3A) (as inserted by section 2 of the Statistics Amendment Act 1986), the following subsections:

“(3B) Every independent contractor engaged by the Department under any contract (other than a contract of employment), and every employee of any such independent contractor, who is likely, in the course of carrying out the terms of that contract, to have access to information collected under the authority of this Act shall, if required to do so by the Statistician, make a statutory declaration of secrecy similar to the declaration of secrecy prescribed by subsection (1) of this section, regardless of whether that independent contractor or employee has made a declaration of secrecy under any other Act.

“(3C) A person who has made a statutory declaration of secrecy under subsection (3B) of this section shall be deemed to be an employee of the Department for the purposes of—

“(a) Subsection (1) of this section; and
“(b) Subsections (2) and (3) of section 37 of this Act.”

This Act is administered in the Department of Statistics.
