

EDUCATION AMENDMENT (NO. 2) BILL

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Clause 1 relates to the Short Title.

Clause 2 empowers the Governor-General by Order in Council to make regulations enabling the governing body of a technical institute to impose and collect from students of the institute such fees as the governing body considers reasonable, but not in any case exceeding a prescribed maximum amount in respect of each student, for the benefit of any association or organisation of those students. The regulations may make provision for exemption from payment by any student on the grounds of his hardship. Unless a student declares himself to be conscientiously opposed to membership of the association or organisation, he is deemed to be a member of it.

Hon. Mr Amos

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ANALYSIS

Title		2. Fees payable to associations of students
1. Short Title		

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to amend the Education Act 1964

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same,
5 as follows:

1. Short Title—This Act may be cited as the Education Amendment Act (No. 2) 1974, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Education Act 1964* (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act).

10 **2. Fees payable to associations of students**—(1) Section 69 of the principal Act is hereby amended by adding to subsection (6) the following paragraph:

15 “(e) Providing that the Board of Governors or other governing body of a technical institute may have the power to impose and collect from time to time from students at the technical institute or from any of those students such fees as the Board or governing body considers reasonable, but not exceeding such maximum amount in respect of each student as may be prescribed by the regulations, for the benefit of any association or organisation of students of the technical institute, and to pay those fees to any such association or organisation
20 accordingly.”

*1964, No. 135

Amendments: 1965, No. 67; 1966, No. 59; 1967, No. 136; 1968, No. 11; 1969, No. 66; 1970, No. 147; 1971, No. 145; 1972, No. 34

(2) The said section 69 is hereby further amended by inserting, after subsection (6), the following subsections:

“(6A) Any regulations made under paragraph (e) of subsection (6) of this section may provide for any student to be exempt from payment of any fee on the grounds of the student’s hardship, and the power of the Board of Governors or other governing body to collect any such fee shall be limited accordingly. 5

“(6B) Every student on whom any fee is imposed in accordance with regulations made under paragraph (e) of subsection (6) of this section, whether he is exempt from payment of the fee on the grounds of hardship or not, shall, unless he declares himself to be conscientiously opposed to membership of the association or organisation for whose benefit the fee is imposed, be deemed to be a member of the association or organisation.” 10 15