

FIRE SERVICE AMENDMENT BILL (NO. 4)

EXPLANATORY NOTE

THIS Bill amends the Fire Service Act 1975 to give effect to the Budget announcement regarding the financing of the Fire Service Commission.

Clause 1 relates to the Short Title and commencement. The Bill is deemed to have come into force on 1 April 1987.

Clause 2: Subclause (1) amends section 47 of the principal Act to reduce the Crown contributions to the expenditure of the Commission from 19 percent to 10 percent, and to increase the contributions by way of levy from 81 percent to 90 percent.

Subclause (2) empowers the Minister, after consultation with the Audit Office, to issue directions, in writing, to the Commission in relation to the calculation of the expenditure incurred in generating the net income of the Commission from rents and other receipts and charges.

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incl. GST \$1.65

Hon. Peter Tapsell

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ANALYSIS

Title	1. Short Title and commencement 2. Income of Commission
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A BILL INTITULED

An Act to amend the Fire Service Act 1975

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

1. Short Title and commencement—(1) This Act may be
5 cited as the Fire Service Amendment Act (No. 4) 1987, and shall
be read together with and deemed part of the Fire Service Act
1975* (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act.)

(2) This Act shall be deemed to have come into force on the
1st day of April 1987.

*1975, No. 42

Amendments 1978, No. 49; 1979, No. 89; 1981, No. 66; 1982, No. 179; 1985, No. 106;
1986, No. 18; 1987, No. 29; 1987, No. 79

10 **2. Income of Commission**—(1) Section 47 of the principal
Act (as substituted by section 5 of the Fire Service Amendment
Act 1986) is hereby amended—

(a) By omitting from subsections (2) (a), (3), and (4) the
15 expression “19”, and substituting in each case
the expression “10”:

(b) By omitting from subsections (2) (b), (5), and (6) the
expression “81”, and substituting in each case
the expression “90”.

(2) Section 47 of the principal Act (as so inserted) is hereby
20 further amended by repealing subsection (9), and substituting
the following subsection:

“(9) For the purposes of this section, the Commission, in determining its net income from rents received and other receipts and charges, shall comply with any direction in writing given by the Minister concerning what constitutes expenditure incurred in generating that income: 5

“Provided that the Minister shall consult with the Audit Office before any such direction is issued.”