

House of Representatives

# Supplementary Order Paper

Tuesday, 10 August 2004

## Electricity and Gas Industries Bill

*Proposed motion to divide Bill into 5 Bills*

Hon Pete Hodgson, in Committee, to move as follows:

That *clauses 1 and 2 and Part 1* be a separate Bill, and that for the enacting words, *clauses 1 and 2*, the heading to *Part 1*, and *clause 3* there be substituted the following enacting words and clauses:

**The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:**

**1 Title**

- (1) This Act is the Electricity Amendment Act **2004**.
- (2) In this Act, the Electricity Act 1992<sup>1</sup> is called “the principal Act”.

<sup>1</sup> 1992 No 122

**2 Commencement**

- (1) **Section 20** (which relates to Transpower’s transitional pricing methodology) is deemed to have come into force on 26 January 2004.
- (2) The rest of this Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

That *Part 2* be a separate Bill, and that for the heading to *Part 2* and *clause 21* there be substituted the following enacting words and clauses:

**The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:**

**1 Title**

- (1) This Act is the Electricity Industry Reform Amendment Act **2004**.

- (2) In this Act, the Electricity Industry Reform Act 1998<sup>2</sup> is called “the principal Act”.

<sup>2</sup> 1998 No 88

## 2 Commencement

This Act is deemed to have come into force on 20 May 2003.

That *Part 3* be a separate Bill, and that for the heading to *Part 3* and *clause 30* there be substituted the following enacting words and clauses:

### The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

#### 1 Title

- (1) This Act is the Commerce Amendment Act **2004**.
- (2) In this Act, the Commerce Act 1986<sup>3</sup> is called “the principal Act”.

<sup>3</sup> 1986 No 5

#### 2 Commencement

This Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

That *Part 4* be a separate Bill, and that for the heading to *Part 4* and *clause 40* there be substituted the following enacting words and clauses:

### The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

#### 1 Title

- (1) This Act is the Gas Amendment Act **2004**.
- (2) In this Act, the Gas Act 1992<sup>4</sup> is called “the principal Act”.

<sup>4</sup> 1992 No 124

#### 2 Commencement

- (1) **Subpart 2** of Part 4A of the Gas Act 1992 (as inserted by **section 45** of this Act) comes into force on a date to be appointed by the Governor-General by Order in Council on the recommendation of the Minister of Energy in accordance with **section 41** of this Act.
- (2) The rest of this Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

That *Part 5* be a separate Bill, and that for the heading to *Part 5* and *clause 46* there be substituted the following enacting words and clauses:

### The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

#### 1 Title

- (1) This Act is called the Crown Minerals Amendment Act **2004**.
- (2) In this Act, the Crown Minerals Act 1991<sup>5</sup> is called “the principal Act”.

<sup>5</sup> 1991 No 70

**2 Commencement**

This Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

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**Explanatory note**

This Supplementary Order Paper divides the Electricity and Gas Industries Bill into the following 5 Bills:

- Electricity Amendment Bill:
  - Electricity Industry Reform Amendment Bill:
  - Commerce Amendment Bill:
  - Gas Amendment Bill:
  - Crown Minerals Amendment Bill.
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