

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Supplementary Order Paper

Thursday, 6 June 1991

MAORI PURPOSES BILL

Proposed Amendments

Hon. WINSTON PETERS, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 7: To omit paragraph (d) of the proposed section 70A (1) (all the words in lines 5 and 6 on page 10), and substitute the following paragraphs:

“(d) The Secretary for Justice or a person nominated by the Secretary for Justice:

“(da) A person nominated jointly by the Minister of Maori Affairs and the Minister of Justice:”.

To insert, after line 22 on page 10, as subclause (2), the following subclause:

(2) Section 9 of the Maori Affairs Restructuring Act 1989 is hereby consequentially amended by repealing subsections (2) and (3).

Clause 11: To omit this clause.

Proposed clause 25A: To insert on page 20, after clause 25, the following clause:

25A. Contracts by General Manager deemed to be made on behalf of Crown—Section 16 of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, after the words “this Part”, the words “and Part III”.

Proposed clause 26A: To insert on page 22, after clause 26, the following clause:

26A. Sinking fund to provide compensation for lessees of Maori land—Section 43 of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, after subsection (1), the following subsection:

“(1A) Notwithstanding anything in subsection (1) of this section, the Maori Trustee may from time to time place the whole or any part of any sum referred to in that subsection in any other account or investment instead of the Common Fund of the Maori Trustee’s Account.”

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The amendments have been made necessary by the enactment of the Maori Affairs Restructuring Act 1989 while this Bill was before Parliament. The same amendments were contained in Supplementary Order Paper No. 215, dated 5 December 1989, which stood in the name of the Hon. K. T. Wetere.

Clause 7: The amendments reflect the changes to the membership of the Maori Land Court Rules Committee made by section 9 of the Maori Affairs Restructuring Act 1989.

Clauses 11 and 26A: *Clause 11* amends section 353 of the Maori Affairs Act 1953. However, that section has been re-enacted as section 43 of the Maori Affairs Restructuring Act 1989. Accordingly, clause 11 is omitted, and *clause 26A* amends that section.

Clause 25A corrects an error in section 16 of the Maori Affairs Restructuring Act 1989.