No 23

House of Representatives

Supplementary Order Paper

Thursday, 6 April 2000

Maori Purposes Bill

Proposed amendment

Hon Dover Samuels, in Committee, to move the following amendment: *New Part 5*

To add, after Part 4, the following Part:

Part 5

Amendments to Maori Purposes Act 1993

23 Maori Purposes Act 1993 called principal Act in this Part

In this Part, the Maori Purposes Act 1993¹ is called "the principal Act".

¹ 1993 No 103

24 Commencement

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

25 Interpretation

In this Part, unless the context otherwise requires,—

specified mana contract means the mana contract entered into in 1988 by the Crown and the Trust Board

Te Runanga means Te Runanga o Ngati Whatua constituted by section 5 of Te Runanga o Ngati Whatua Act 1988

Trust Board means Ngati Whatua o Orakei Maori Trust Board constituted by section 4 of the Orakei Block (Vesting and Use) Act 1978 and referred to in section 6A of the Maori Trust Boards Act 1955.

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26 Te Runanga o Ngati Whatua deemed to be mana authority in place of Ngati Whatua o Orakei Maori Trust Board

For the purposes of the principal Act, Te Runanga is, and has always been, a mana authority in place of the Trust Board as if Te Runanga and not the Trust Board was and has always been the party to the specified mana contract.

27 Application of sections 5–12 of principal Act to Te Runanga o Ngati Whatua

- (1) Sections 5 to 7 of the principal Act apply and have, since 29 April 1994, always applied to Te Runanga as if an Order in Council had been made under section 4 of the principal Act applying those sections to Te Runanga as a mana authority on that date.
- (2) Sections 8 to 12 of the principal Act apply and have, since 29 April 1994, always applied to Te Runanga as if an Order in Council had been made under section 4 of the principal Act applying sections 5 to 7 of that Act to Te Runanga as a mana authority on that date.

Explanatory note

This Supplementary Order Paper-

- Provides that, for the purposes of the Maori Purposes Act 1993, Te Runanga o Ngati Whatua is and always has been a mana authority in place of Ngati Whatua o Orakei Maori Trust Board, as if Te Runanga had entered into the relevant mana contract with the Crown and not the Trust Board.
- Applies sections 5 to 12 of that Act to Te Runanga as from 29 April 1994, with the effect that the mana contract is cancelled as from that date.
- Replaces Supplementary Order Paper No 230.