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THE COUNTY ENROLMENT REGULATIONS 1953, AMENDMENT NO. 6

DENIS BLUNDELL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 17th day of April 1974

Present:

THE HON. H. WATT PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Counties Act 1956, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the County Enrolment Regulations 1953, Amendment No. 6, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the County Enrolment Regulations 1953* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*:

Provided that the principal regulations shall continue to apply, as if these regulations had not been made, for the purpose of any election to fill an extraordinary vacancy on the Council and of any poll if that election or poll is held before the 12th day of October 1974.

2. Electors entitled to vote in combined district—Regulation 5 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the words "and, where necessary, the number of votes which each elector is entitled to give".

> *S.R. 1953/86 Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1959/159 Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1962/38 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1969/87 Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1971/95 Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1971/189

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3. Forms-(1) Form 1 in the Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the column headed "Number of Votes".

(2) Form 2 in the Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph 5 (as substituted by regulation 2 of the County Enrolment Regulations 1953, Amendment No. 4), and substituting the following paragraph:

"5. I have attained the age of 18 years."

(3) The County Enrolment Regulations 1953, Amendment No. 4, is hereby revoked.

P. G. MILLEN.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations make such amendments to the principal regulations as are necessary by reason of the provisions of the Counties Amendment Act 1974 reducing the voting age to 18 years and abolishing plural voting. Regulation 2 amends regulation 5 of the principal regulations, relating to electors who are entitled to vote at elections in combined districts, by omitting provisions relating to the number of votes they are entitled to exercise. Regulation 3 makes amendments to the forms of Electoral Roll and of Claim for Enrolment that are consequential on the reduction of the voting age and the abolition of plural voting.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in Gazette: 18 April 1974. These regulations are administered in the Department of Internal Affairs.