



**THE CONTROLLED GOODS (NATURAL GAS) ORDER 1986,
AMENDMENT NO. 1**

PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 14th day of December 1987

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 53 of the Commerce Act 1986 and section 12 of the Ministry of Energy Act 1977 (as substituted by section 110(1) of the Commerce Act 1986), His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council and on the recommendation of the Minister of Energy, who is satisfied that—

- (a) The goods described in the Schedule to the Controlled Goods (Natural Gas) Order 1986 will be supplied in a market in which competition is limited; and
- (b) It is desirable for the prices of the goods described in the Schedule to that order to be controlled in accordance with the Commerce Act 1986 in the interests of both users and consumers,—

hereby makes the following order.

ORDER

1. Title and commencement—(1) This order may be cited as the Controlled Goods (Natural Gas) Order 1986, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Controlled Goods (Natural Gas) Order 1986* (hereinafter referred to as the principal order).

(2) This order shall come into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Continuation of principal order—Clause 2 (2) of the principal order is hereby amended by omitting the expression “31st day of December 1987”, and substituting the expression “31st day of December 1988”.

C. J. HILL,
Acting for Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This order, which comes into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*, extends the expiry date of the Controlled Goods (Natural Gas) Order 1986 from 31 December 1987 to 31 December 1988.

The effect of the order is to keep under price control, until the close of 31 December 1988, natural gas other than—

(a) Natural gas sold under—

(i) The Gas Purchase Contract made on the 31st day of July 1967 between Shell (Petroleum Mining) Company Ltd., B.P. (Oil Exploration) Company of New Zealand Ltd., Todd Petroleum Mining Company Ltd., as the sellers and the Minister of Mines as the buyer; or

(ii) The Maui Gas Sale and Purchase Contract made on the 1st day of October 1973 between Offshore Mining Company Ltd., Shell (Petroleum Mining) Company Ltd., B.P. (Oil Exploration) Company of New Zealand Ltd., and Todd Petroleum Mining Company Ltd., as the sellers and the New Zealand Government as the buyer; and

(b) Compressed natural gas sold for use as an automotive fuel; and

(c) Natural gas sold by the Crown.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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This order is administered in the Ministry of Energy.