



**DISPUTES TRIBUNALS AMENDMENT RULES 1997**

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MICHAEL HARDIE BOYS, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 1st day of December 1997

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 60 of the Disputes Tribunals Act 1988, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, makes the following rules.

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RULES

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) These rules may be cited as the Disputes Tribunals Amendment Rules 1997, and are part of the Disputes Tribunals Rules 1989\* (“the principal rules”).

(2) These rules come into force on 1 January 1998.

**2. Fees**—Rule 5 (1) of the principal rules is amended—

(a) By omitting from paragraph (a) the expression “\$10”, and substituting the expression “\$20”:

(b) By omitting from paragraph (b) the expression “\$20”, and substituting the expression “\$40”.

DIANE WILDERSPIN,  
Acting for Clerk of the Executive Council.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These rules, which come into force on 1 January 1998, increase the fees for claims lodged with a Disputes Tribunal.

The fee for a claim for an amount under \$1,000 is increased from \$10 to \$20.

The fee for a claim for an amount of \$1,000 or more is increased from \$20 to \$40.

The fees are inclusive of goods and services tax.

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These rules are administered in the Department for Courts.