

THE LOCAL ELECTIONS AND POLLS (SPECIAL VOTING) REGULATIONS 1977, AMENDMENT NO. 1

DENIS BLUNDELL, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 26th day of April 1977

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. R. D. MULDOON PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

Pursuant to the Local Elections and Polls Act 1976, 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 Local Elections and Polls (Special Voting) Regulations 1977, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Local Elections and Polls (Special Voting) Regulations 1977* (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.
- 2. Allowance or disallowance of special vote received in time—Regulation 15 (4) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the words "and as to whether he declares he is on the General roll or the Maori roll".
- 3. Forms—Form 1 in the Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended—
 - (a) By omitting the reference "Regs. 3 (1), 5 (3)" in the heading to that form, and substituting the reference "Regs. 3 (1), 5 (3), and 15 (3), (4)":
 - (b) By adding to clause 2 the words "(Delete if not enrolled)".

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.

Regulation 2 is a formal amendment only, omitting words which are redundant. Regulation 3 (1) is also a formal amendment, adding to the form of declaration

by a special voter an additional reference.

Regulation 3 (2) adds to that form an instruction to delete clause 2 in cases where the special voter is not enrolled on the parliamentary roll. There are some cases where a person who is qualified to be an elector is not qualified to be enrolled as a parliamentary elector, e.g. persons with a rating qualification who have not resided in New Zealand for the required 12 months.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Internal Affairs.