

THE SECURITIES ACT (CONTINUOUS ISSUES) EXEMPTION NOTICE (NO. 3) 1987

PURSUANT to the Securities Act 1978, the Securities Commission gives the following notice.

NOTICE

- 1. Title and commencement—(1) This notice may be cited as the Securities Act (Continuous Issues) Exemption Notice (No. 3) 1987.
 - (2) This notice shall come into force on the 1st day of December 1987.
- 2. Interpretation—(1) In this notice, unless the context otherwise requires,-

"The Act" means the Securities Act 1978:

- "Debt security" does not include a security which renews or varies the terms of an existing security:
- "The Regulations" means the Securities Regulations 1983:
- "Specified issuer" means a person named in the First Schedule to this notice.
- (2) Any term or expression which is not defined in this notice, but which is defined in the Act or the Regulations shall have the meaning given to it by the Act or the Regulations.
- 3. Specified issuers exempt from certain provisions of the Securities Act 1978 and the Securities Regulations 1983 in respect of **offers of debt securities**—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause, every specified issuer, and every person acting on behalf of a specified issuer, is exempted from compliance with the provisions of sections 37A (1) (a) to (d) and 38 (a) and (b) of the Act and regulation 10 of the Regulations in respect of any offer of debt securities made by that specified issuer.

(2) The exemption granted by subclause (1) of this clause is subject to the following terms and conditions-

- (a) That copies of the registered prospectus relating to the debt securities are on display and available to members of the public during normal business hours at each place of business of the specified issuer at which offers of the debt securities are made; and
- (b) That at the date of allotment, the registered prospectus is not known by the specified issuer of the security, or any director of the

specified issuer, to be false or misleading in a material particular by reason of failing to refer, or give proper emphasis, to adverse circumstances (whether or not the registered prospectus became so misleading as a result of circumstances occurring after the date of the registered prospectus).

- 4. Specified issuers exempted from section 52 (1) and (2) of the Securities Act 1978 in relation to register of securities required to be kept under section 51 (1) (b) of that Act—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause, every specified issuer which is a company is exempted from compliance with the provisions of section 52 (1) and (2) of the Act in respect of the register kept by that specified issuer under section 51 (1) (b) of the Act.
- (2) The exemption from section 52 (1) of the Act granted by subclause (1) of this clause is subject to the condition that every register of securities kept under section 51 (1) (b) of the Act by the specified issuer shall, except when duly closed (but subject to such reasonable restrictions as the specified issuer may impose, so that not less than 2 hours in each day shall be allowed for inspection), be open to the inspection of any holder of securities registered therein, or the representative of the holder, in respect of the securities of that holder, without fee.
- 5. Specified issuers accepting deposits exempt from the provisions of section 54 of the Securities Act 1978—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause, every specified issuer is exempted from compliance with the provisions of section 54 of the Act in respect of any deposit with that specified issuer.
- (2) The exemption granted by subclause (1) of this clause is subject to the condition that the specified issuer shall send, or cause to be sent, to the security holder at any time upon request and at least once every 6 months a written statement which properly evidences the nature, ownership, terms, and conditions of the security.
- **6. Revocations**—The notices specified in the Second Schedule to this notice are hereby revoked.

SCHEDULES

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FIRST SCHEDULE

A.A. Finance Limited

A.G.C. Merchant Securities Limited

Asset Card Financial Services Limited

Australian Guarantee Corporation (N.Z.) Limited

BNZ Finance Limited

Consumer Finance Corporation Limited

Crown Finance Limited

DFC New Zealand Limited

Equiticorp Holdings Limited

Equiticorp Finance Group Limited

Equiticorp Securities Limited

Finance and Discounts Limited

General Bills Limited

General Finance Limited

General Motors Acceptance Corporation (N.Z.) Limited

IFC Securities Limited

Investment Finance Corporation Limited

Jarden Securities Limited

Main Corporation Limited

Main Securities Limited

Marac Financial Services Limited

Medical Securities Limited

Motor Trade Finances Limited

Nathan Finance Limited

Nathan Securities Limited

National Australia Limited

National Australia Finance Limited

National Mutual Finance Limited

National Trading Company of New Zealand Limited

National Westminster Finance New Zealand Limited

N.Z.I. Finance Limited

Public Service Investment Society Limited

Southland Development Corporation Limited

Southpac Securities Limited

Spiers Group Limited

UDC Finance Limited

UDC Group Holdings Limited

UDC Mercantile Securities Limited

Westpac Merchant Finance Limited

Westpac Securities Limited

Wrightson Farmers Finance Limited

SECOND SCHEDULE

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Notice	Statutory Regulations Serial Number
	1985/297
The Securities Act (Continuous Issues) Exemption Notice 1987	1987/252
The Securities Act (Inspection of Registers) Exemption Notice 1985, Amendment No. 4	1987/294
The Securities Act (Continuous Issues) Exemption Notice (No. 2) 1987	1987/293

Dated at Wellington this 24th day of November 1987.

The Common Seal of the Securities Commission was hereunto affixed in the presence of:

[L.S.]

C. I. PATTERSON, Chairman.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This notice, which comes into force on 1 December 1987, is identical to the Securities Act (Continuous Issues) Exemption Notice (No. 2) 1987, except that it adds the names of a number of companies to the list of specified issuers (as that term is defined) contained in the First Schedule and deletes the name Wardley New Zealand Limited from that list.

The notice replaces the Securities Act (Continuous Issues) Exemption Notice 1987 with effect from 1 December 1987.

The Securities Act (Continuous Issues) Exemption Notice 1987 exempts all issuers from compliance with the provisions of sections 37A (1) (a) to (d) and 38 (a) and (b) of the Securities Act 1978 and regulation 10 of the Securities Regulations 1983 in the case of—

- (a) Any offer of debt securities made to a person who is at the time the security is offered or allotted, or who was at any time before the offer or allotment, the holder of a debt security of the same class; or
- (b) Any offer of debt securities made in conjunction with an offer of debt securities of the kind mentioned in (a) above.

That exemption is subject to the conditions—

- (a) That before allotment of the security the issuer has delivered to the person to whom the offer is made or sent to that person at that persons last known address, the most recent registered prospectus relating to the securities and that is, at the date of allotment a registered prospectus; and
- (b) That at the date of allotment, the registered prospectus is not known by the issuer or any director of the issuer to be false or misleading in a material particular by reason of failing to refer, or give proper emphasis to, adverse circumstances (whether or not it became misleading as a result of circumstances occurring after the date of the registered prospectus).

Clause 3 of this notice exempts the issuers named in the First Schedule to the notice from compliance with the provisions of sections 37A (1) (a) to (d) and 38 (a) and (b) of the Securities Act 1978 and regulation 10 of the Securities Regulations 1983 in the case of all offers of debt securities made by those issuers.

The exemption is subject to the conditions-

- (a) That copies of the registered prospectus relating to the debt securities are on display and available to the public at each place of business of the issuer and its agents during normal business hours; and
- (b) That at the date of allotment, the registered prospectus is not known by the issuer or any director of the issuer to be false or misleading in a material particular by reason of failing to refer, or give proper emphasis, to adverse circumstances (whether or not it became misleading as a result of circumstances occurring after the date of the registered prospectus).

Clause 4 exempts the issuers named in the First Schedule to the notice which are companies from compliance with the provisions of section 52 (1) and (2) of the Securities Act 1978 in relation to the register of debt securities kept under section 51 (1) (b) of that Act. The exemption replaces the exemption contained in the Securities Act (Inspection of Registers) Exemption Notice 1985 which is revoked.

The Securities Act (Continuous Issues) Exemption Notice 1987 also exempts issuers of debt securities in the form of deposits from compliance with the provisions of section 54 of the Securities Act 1978 on the condition that the issuer sends to the security holder on request and at least once every 6 months a written statement which properly evidences the nature, ownership, terms, and conditions of the security.

Clause 5 of this notice confers on the issuers named in the First Schedule to the notice an exemption in the same terms.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in *Gazette:* 26 November 1987. This notice is administered in the Securities Commission.