



**STUDENT LOAN SCHEME (INTEREST RATES) REGULATIONS
1997**

MICHAEL HARDIE BOYS, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 8th day of December 1997

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 87 of the Student Loan Scheme Act 1992, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Student Loan Scheme (Interest Rates) Regulations 1997.

(2) These regulations come into force on 1 April 1998.

2. Interest adjustment rate—The interest adjustment rate that, for the purposes of the Student Loan Scheme Act 1992, applies in respect of the income year commencing on 1 April 1998 is 1.8%.

3. Base interest rate—The base interest rate that, for the purposes of the Student Loan Scheme Act 1992, applies in respect of the income year commencing on 1 April 1998 is 6.2%.

4. Revocation—The Student Loan Scheme (Interest Rates) Regulations 1996* are consequentially revoked.

MARIE SHROFF,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*S.R. 1996/370

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations, which come into force on 1 April 1998, prescribe, under section 87 of the Student Loan Scheme Act 1992, the interest adjustment rate and the base interest rate that are to apply in respect of the income year commencing 1 April 1998.

The interest adjustment rate so prescribed is 1.8%.

The base interest rate so prescribed is 6.2%.

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