## 1983/55



# THE WAGE FREEZE REGULATIONS 1982, AMENDMENT NO. 9

# DAVID BEATTIE, Governor-General

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 5th day of April 1983

#### Present:

THE RIGHT HON. D. MACINTYRE PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Economic Stabilisation Act 1948, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

#### **ANALYSIS**

- 1. Title
- 2. Commencement and expiry
- 3. Provision in respect of major projects and expired instruments not renewed in the 1981–1982 wage round
- 4. First Schedule amended
- 5. Second Schedule amended
- 6. Third Schedule amended
- 7. Fourth Schedule amended

#### REGULATIONS

1. Title—These regulations may be cited as the Wage Freeze Regulations 1982, Amendment No. 9, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Wage Freeze Regulations 1982\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

\*S.R. 1982/141
Annendment No. 1: S.R. 1982/172
Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1982/194
Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1982/217
Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1982/217
Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1982/253
Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1982/273
Amendment No. 7: S.R. 1983/3
Amendment No. 8: S.R. 1983/10

- 2. Commencement and expiry—(1) These regulations shall come into force on the 6th day of April 1983.
- (2) These regulations shall continue in force until the close of the 22nd day of June 1983, and shall then expire.
- **3. Provision in respect of major projects and expired instruments not renewed in the 1981–1982 wage round**—(1) Regulation 6 (2) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (a), and substituting the following paragraph:

"(a) An instrument, made after the commencement of these regulations,

which is-

"(i) A determination made under the State Services Conditions of Employment Act 1977 in respect of the rates of remuneration of any State employees specified in the Third Schedule to these regulations; or

"(ii) A determination by which the Higher Salaries' Commission fixes the salary of any person or group of persons specified in the Third Schedule to these regulations."

(2) Regulation 6 of the principal regulations is hereby further amended

by adding the following subclause:

- "(6) A determination by which the Higher Salaries Commission fixes the salary of any person or group of persons specified in the Third Schedule to these regulations shall, for the purpose of this regulation, be deemed to be an instrument implementing a complete settlement."
- **4. First Schedule amended**—The First Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by adding the following items:

'— Instrument recording Puflett and Smith Limited supervisory

stevedoring staff salaries.

- "— Instrument recording The Trust Board of the Hohepa Homes for Care and Curative Education Staff Remuneration (except the remuneration of employees whose employment is subject to the New Zealand Clerical Workers Award)."
- **5. Second Schedule amended**—The Second Schedule to the principal regulations (as amended by regulation 4 of the Wage Freeze Regulations 1982, Amendment No. 5) is hereby amended by revoking clause 2, and substituting the following clause:

"2. The construction by or on behalf of Petralgas Chemicals N.Z. Limited, a duly incorporated company having its registered office in

Wellington, of—

- (a) A plant for the production of methanol at Mamaku Road, Waitara; and
- (b) Methanol storage tanks and associated facilities as detailed in Contracts Numbers K034/2, K160, K161, K162, and K163, being contracts applicable to work solely at Port Taranaki, New Plymouth."

**7. Fourth Schedule amended**—The Fourth Schedule to the principal regulations (as added by regulation 9 of the Wage Freeze Regulations 1982, Amendment No. 2) is hereby amended by adding, after clause 27 (as added by regulation 3 of the Wage Freeze Regulations 1982, Amendment No. 8), the following clauses:

"28. An instrument entered into with H. and L. J. Goldsmith of Mill Road, RD 1, Bombay, South Auckland, trading as a partnership under the name of Beechcroft Quality Rabbit Products, to prescribe conditions of employment for work to be carried out by workers engaged in slaughtering, preparing, packaging, and distributing rabbits and rabbit products.

"29. An instrument entered into with Napier Refuse Contractors Limited to prescribe conditions of employment for work to be carried out by

drivers and lifters on rubbish collection in the City of Napier.

"30. An instrument or instruments entered into with the Hawke's Bay Harbour Board to prescribe conditions of employment for work to be carried out by deck officers, marine engineers, and Hawke's Bay Harbour Board employees on and associated with the tug Maungatea on its 1983 survey voyage from Napier to Lyttelton and return and during the intervening period at Lyttelton.

"31. An instrument or instruments entered into with the Timaru Harbour Board to prescribe conditions of employment for work to be carried out by deck officers, marine engineers, and Timaru Harbour Board employees on and associated with the dredge W. H. Orbell on its 1983 survey voyage from Timaru to Lyttelton and return and during the

intervening period at Lyttelton."

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.

These regulations, which come into force on 6 April 1983, vary the wage freeze, which continues until the close of 22 June 1983.

Regulation  $\Im$  aligns the provisions of regulation 6 of the principal regulations with the provisions of the Third Schedule to the principal regulations. That Schedule makes provision for the determination of the wages of State employees where remuneration was still under negotiation in the 1981-82 wage round. Provision is now made for the case where the determination is made by the Higher Salaries Commission.

Regulation 4 makes further provision for the making of instruments superseding expired instruments not renewed in the 1981-82 wage round.

Regulation 5 redefines the exemption that applies in relation to the methanol plant at Waitara and in relation to the construction of methanol storage tanks and associated facilities at Port Taranaki, New Plymouth.

Regulation 6, which is related to regulation 3, makes an addition to the Third Schedule.

Regulation 7 makes provision for further exemptions under regulation 6A of the principal regulations. To be exempt under that regulation an instrument must implement a complete settlement and be an instrument which—

(a) Is made after the commencement of the principal regulations on 23 June 1982; and

- (b) Is specified in the Fourth Schedule to the principal regulations (as amended by these regulations); and
- (c) Contains terms relating to remuneration, all of which, after having been referred to the Wage Freeze Authority on the application of the parties, or, if there are not two or more parties, on the application of the employer, have been approved by it.

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