

**Reprint
as at 25 April 2014**



**Governor-General (Allowance)
Order (No 2) 2011**

(SR 2011/251)

Governor-General (Allowance) Order (No 2) 2011: revoked (with effect on 1 October 2013), on 25 April 2014, by clause 4 of the Governor-General (Allowance) Order 2014 (LI 2014/132).

Anand Satyanand, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 18th day of July 2011

Present:
His Excellency the Governor-General in Council

Pursuant to section 6 of the Governor-General Act 2010, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council, makes the following order.

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Note

Changes authorised by subpart 2 of Part 2 of the Legislation Act 2012 have been made in this official reprint.

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This order is administered by the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.

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Order

- 1 Title**
This order is the Governor-General (Allowance) Order (No 2) 2011.
- 2 Commencement**
This order comes into force on 1 August 2011.
- 3 Allowance of Governor-General**
The allowance payable to the Governor-General under section 6 of the Governor-General Act 2010 is payable at the rate of \$30,000 per annum.
- 4 Revocation**
The Governor-General (Allowance) Order 2011 (SR 2011/33) is revoked with effect from the close of 23 August 2011.

Rebecca Kitteridge,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Explanatory note

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

This order, which comes into force on 1 August 2011, fixes the rate at which the Governor-General's allowance for official expenses is payable at \$30,000 per annum. It is the first order to be made fixing the rate of the Governor-General's allowance under section 6 of the Governor-General Act 2010. That Act repealed and replaced all provisions concerning the office of the Governor-General, including

those concerning funding arrangements for the Governor-General, previously set out in the Civil List Act 1979.

The funding arrangements under the Civil List Act 1979 included payment of a tax-exempt allowance. This was for the purpose of meeting the costs of the Governor-General's programme, in addition to personal costs arising from the position.

Under section 6 of the Governor-General Act 2010, the Governor-General continues to receive a tax-exempt allowance. However, the purpose of the new allowance is confined to meeting expenses incurred by the Governor-General personally in undertaking the duties of office, such as clothing, grooming, and other personal costs associated with the office. It does not extend to programme costs, which are now separately funded.

The order revokes the Governor-General (Allowance) Order 2011 with effect from the close of 23 August 2011, which is when the incumbent Governor-General's term of office ends. The incumbent Governor-General's allowance is not paid under section 6.

Issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2012.
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Reprints notes

1 *General*

This is a reprint of the Governor-General (Allowance) Order (No 2) 2011 that incorporates all the amendments to that order as at the date of the last amendment to it.

2 *Legal status*

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3 *Editorial and format changes*

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4 *Amendments incorporated in this reprint*

Governor-General (Allowance) Order 2014 (LI 2014/13): clause 4
