

House of Representatives

Supplementary Order Paper

Tuesday, 27 June 2023

Appropriation (2022/23 Supplementary Estimates) Bill

Proposed amendments

Hon Grant Robertson, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 5

In *clause 5(1)*, replace the definition of **Supplementary Estimates** (page 3, lines 9 to 11) with:

Supplementary Estimates means—

- (a) *The Supplementary Estimates of Appropriations for the Government of New Zealand for the Year Ending 30 June 2023 (B.7); and*
- (b) *Addition to the Supplementary Estimates of Appropriations for the Government of New Zealand and Supporting Information for the year ending 30 June 2023 (B.7 Vol.2).*

Schedule 1: heading to column 2

In *Schedule 1*, heading to column 2 (page 7), delete “**(B.7)**”.

Schedule 1: item relating to Vote Finance

In *Schedule 1*, after the item relating to Management of New Zealand House, London (page 19), insert:

1031	North Island Severe Weather Events – Crown Payments to Local Authorities and Other Eligible Stakeholders	500,000
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Explanatory note

This Supplementary Order Paper (SOP) amends the Appropriation (2022/23 Supplementary Estimates) Bill.

The Bill, as introduced, seeks parliamentary authorisation of the individual appropriations, and changes to individual appropriations, contained in *The Supplementary Estimates of Appropriations for the Government of New Zealand for the Year Ending 30 June 2023* (B.7) presented to the House of Representatives on 18 May 2023.

After 18 May 2023, the Government decided to approve a further appropriation to provide for the Crown's operating expenses and capital expenditure associated with the management of properties and land impacted by the 2023 North Island severe weather events. The changes to the Bill proposed in this SOP relate to that new appropriation, which is reflected in detail in the *Addition to the Supplementary Estimates of Appropriations for the Government of New Zealand for the Year Ending 30 June 2023* (B.7 Vol.2) presented to the House of Representatives on 26 June 2023. The new appropriation provides authority for the recognition of a possible expense in the 2022/23 financial year to reflect commitments made by the Government, although payments relating to that appropriation are unlikely to commence until the 2023/24 financial year.

Departmental disclosure statement

The Treasury considers that a departmental disclosure statement is not required to be prepared for this SOP.