



ANALYSIS

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1997, No. 66

An Act to amend the Family Proceedings Act 1980

[16 September 1997]

BE IT ENACTED by the Parliament of New Zealand as follows:

1. Short Title and commencement—(1) This Act may be cited as the Family Proceedings Amendment Act 1997, and is part of the Family Proceedings Act 1980 (“the principal Act”).

(2) This Act comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.

2. Power to issue deduction notices under Social Security Act 1964—The principal Act is amended by inserting, after section 101A, the following section:

“101B. Without limiting section 101 or section 110 (as saved by section 259 (1) of the Child Support Act 1991), where any payment under a maintenance order is in arrear and unpaid, the Director-General of Social Welfare may issue a deduction notice under section 86A of the Social Security Act 1964 to any person (other than the employer of the person against whom the order was made in the capacity of the employer of that person) as if the payment in arrear and unpaid were a debt due to the Crown under that Act.”

This Act is administered in the Ministry of Justice.
