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1992, No. 24

An Act to amend the Official Information Act 1982

[10 April 1992]

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

1. Short Title—This Act may be cited as the Official Information Amendment Act 1992, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Official Information Act 1982 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act).

2. Interpretation—(1) Section 2 (1) of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, in its appropriate alphabetical order, the following definition:

“‘State enterprise’ means—

“(a) An organisation that is a State enterprise within the meaning of section 2 of the State-Owned Enterprises Act 1986 and that is named in the First Schedule to this Act:

“(b) An organisation that was a State enterprise within the meaning of section 2 of the State-Owned Enterprises Act 1986 but which continues to be named in the First Schedule to this Act:”.

(2) Section 2 of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting, after subsection (1), the following subsection:

“(1A) For the purposes of the First Schedule to this Act, a company is a related company of a State enterprise if the State enterprise, whether alone or together with any other State enterprise, directly or indirectly owns, or controls the exercise of all the voting rights attaching to, the equity share capital (as defined in section 158 of the Companies Act 1955) of the company.”

3. Addition to First Schedule—The principal Act is hereby amended by inserting in the First Schedule (as substituted by section 23 (1) of the Official Information Amendment Act 1987), in its appropriate alphabetical order, the following item:
“Related companies of State enterprises (within the meaning of section 2 (1A) of this Act)”.

This Act is administered in the Department of Justice.
