



ANALYSIS

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1963, No. 19

An Act to amend the Act heretofore known as the Hokitika High School Act 1883 [2 October 1963]

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. Short Title and commencement—(1) This Act may be cited as the Westland High School Amendment Act 1963, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Act heretofore known as the Hokitika High School Act 1883 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act).

(2) All the provisions of this Act, except section 4, shall come into force on the first day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-four.

2. Change of name—(1) The principal Act is hereby amended—

- (a) By omitting from the title the word “Hokitika”, and substituting the word “Westland”;
- (b) By omitting from section 1 the words “The Hokitika High School Act 1883”, and substituting the words “the Westland High School Act 1883”;
- (c) By omitting the words “Hokitika High School” in each case where they occur in sections 10, 11, 13, 14, and 16, and substituting in each case the words “Westland High School”.

- (2) Where in any Act or document there is a reference to—
- (a) The Hokitika High School Act 1883, that reference shall, unless the context otherwise requires, be read as a reference to the Westland High School Act 1883:
 - (b) The Hokitika High School, that reference shall, unless the context otherwise requires, be read as a reference to the Westland High School:
 - (c) The Hokitika High School Board, that reference shall, unless the context otherwise requires, be read as a reference to the Westland High School Board.

3. Board of Governors—The principal Act is hereby amended by repealing section 2, and substituting the following section:

“2. (1) There shall be a Board of Governors for the Westland High School to be called the Westland High School Board.

“(2) The said Board shall be a body corporate with perpetual succession and a common seal, and may hold real and personal property, and sue and be sued, and do and suffer all that bodies corporate may do and suffer.”

4. Constitution of Board—The principal Act is hereby amended by repealing section 3, and substituting the following section:

“3. (1) On and after the first day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, the said Board shall be constituted in accordance with section 90 of the Education Act 1914.

“(2) Until the said first day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, the said Board shall continue to be constituted as it was constituted immediately before the passing of this section.

“(3) For the purposes of subsection (1) of this section, and without restricting the generality of section 90 of the Education Act 1914, it is hereby declared that, at any time after the passing of this section, an Order in Council, to come into force on the first day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, may be made under subsection (1) of the said section 90 (as amended by section 10 of the Education Amendment Act 1952) varying the constitution of the Board as prescribed in the said section 90.

“(4) Subject to the provisions of this section, every member of the said Board shall hold office for a term of three years, but may from time to time be reappointed or re-elected.

“(5) On the thirty-first day of January, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, every member of the Board as it is then constituted shall go out of office.

“(6) Every member of the said Board appointed or elected to take office on or after the first day of February, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, shall be appointed or elected, as the case may be, in the manner for the time being prescribed by the scheme for the control of the Westland High School that is approved by the Minister under section 92 of the Education Act 1914.”

5. Repeals—Sections 4 to 9 of the principal Act are hereby repealed.

This Act is administered in the Department of Education.
