



## Parliamentary Annuities Determination 2003

Pursuant to section 22 of the Civil List Act 1979 and to the Higher Salaries Commission Act 1977, the Higher Salaries Commission makes the following determination.

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### Determination

#### 1 Title

This determination is the Parliamentary Annuities Determination 2003.

#### 2 Commencement

This determination is deemed to have come into force on 1 January 2003.

#### 3 Expiry

This determination expires on 31 December 2003.

#### 4 Annuity for former Prime Minister

The annuity payable under section 22(1)(a) of the Civil List Act 1979 to a person who has held the office of Prime Minister for a period or periods amounting in all to not less than 2 years is payable at the yearly rate of \$6,750 for each complete year of the total period for which that person held that office or at the yearly rate of \$33,750, whichever is the less.

## 5 Annuity for widow or widower of former Prime Minister

The annuity payable under section 22(1)(b) of the Civil List Act 1979 to the widow or widower of a person who has held the office of Prime Minister for a period or periods amounting in all to not less than 2 years is payable at the yearly rate of \$3,375 for each complete year of the total period for which that person held that office or at the yearly rate of \$16,875, whichever is the less.

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of March 2003.

H. D. Peacock, Chairman.

B. A. Wakem, Member.

W. R. Mulholland, Member.

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### Explanatory memorandum

*This memorandum is not part of the determination, but is intended to indicate its general effect.*

This determination, which is deemed to have come into force on 1 January 2003, increases the annuity payable to a person who has held the office of Prime Minister for a period or periods amounting in all to not less than 2 years and the annuity payable to the widow or widower of such a Prime Minister.

In the case of a former Prime Minister who has held office for a period or periods amounting in all to not less than 2 years, the annuity (as determined in 2002) is paid at the yearly rate of \$6,600 for each complete year of the total period for which the person held

the office of Prime Minister or at the yearly rate of \$33,000, whichever is the less. Under this determination, the annuity is to be paid at the yearly rate of \$6,750 for each complete year of that total period or at the yearly rate of \$33,750, whichever is the less.

In the case of the widow or widower of a former Prime Minister, the annuity payable in each case is to be one-half of the annuity that would have been payable to the person who held office as Prime Minister.

This determination expires on 31 December 2003.

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