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THE PRIVATE BROADCASTING STATIONS (OWNERSHIP) REGULATIONS 1969, AMENDMENT NO. 1

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 1st day of May 1972

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Broadcasting Authority Act 1968, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Private Broadcasting Stations (Ownership) Regulations 1969, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Private Broadcasting Stations (Ownership) Regulations 1969* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Extension of principal regulations to all private stations—The principal regulations are hereby amended—

- (a) By revoking the definition of the term "medium-frequency", in regulation 2 (1):
- (b) By omitting from regulation 5, and also from regulation 6 (1), the words "medium-frequency".

P. J. BROOKS,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

The Private Broadcasting Stations (Ownership) Regulations 1969 provide that no person or body corporate may have a prescribed interest in more than 1 warrant for a medium frequency private broadcasting station. Also, except

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with the approval of the Broadcasting Authority, no person may act as a director of more than 2 companies having a prescribed interest in more than 2 warrants for such stations.

These regulations amend the 1969 regulations by omitting the term "medium-frequency" wherever it appears. The effect is that the restrictions imposed by the principal regulations will now extend to all classes of private broadcasting and television stations, and so preclude (inter alia) the holding of prescribed interests in more than 1 warrant for any private station.

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