



Land Transfer Act 1885

1885

Citation: 49 V. No 57
Date of Assent: 22 September, 1885
Commencement: Date of Assent

Repeal: Repealed and re-enacted 1908, No 99

Amendments: 1889, No 29: see s9 – succession order not necessary where Supreme Court has granted probate.

Type of Legislation: Public

Subject: Govt Admin Specific to Maori/Maori Land
Alienation of Maori Land

Relevant Sections: *s11*: Special Provisions for land under Native Land Acts. Land over which the Native title has been extinguished since its local district has been constituted but prior to 31 August, 1874 shall come under the provisions of this Act.

Commentary: 31 August, 1874 was the date of coming into force of the Land Transfer Act 1870 Amendment Act 1874, section 9 enabling freehold orders of the NLCt to be registerable under the Torrens Land Transfer system. The Amendment in 1889 gave jurisdiction to grant probate of the wills of Maori to the Supreme Court and District Court and declared NLCt succession orders unnecessary notwithstanding the provisions of the Native Land Court Act 1886 (see Native Land Laws Amendment Act 1890).

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