

General Court-martial Warrant Issued Under the Authority of the Chief of the Air Staff

To: The Air Officer Commanding for the time being of the Royal New Zealand Air Force Headquarters, London.

WHEREAS I am empowered by Warrant of His Excellency the Governor-General dated the 24th day of December 1953 to direct my Warrant to any officer under my command not below the rank of Squadron Leader, giving him a general authority to convene General Courts-martial for the trial of any person subject to the Royal New Zealand Air Force Act 1950 under his command who is charged with an offence for which that person may be tried by court-martial, and in respect of the proceedings of such courts-martial (excepting the proceedings which I in my discretion direct him to reserve for my confirmation or other decision or the proceedings which he thinks fit so to do) to exercise the powers of a confirming officer according to law:

Now, therefore, by virtue of the said Warrant, I do hereby authorize and empower you from time to time, as occasion may require, to convene General Courts-martial for the trial of any person under your command who is charged with an offence for which that person may be tried by court-martial, whether such offence was committed before or after the date of this Warrant or the date of your appointment to the above office:

And I do also hereby empower you in respect of any such courts-martial to confirm the findings and sentences thereof and to cause any such sentence to be put in execution according to law:

Provided always that if by the sentence of any general court-martial a commissioned officer has been sentenced to suffer death, imprisonment, or to be cashiered, or dismissed from Her Majesty's service, or an airman has by any court-martial been sentenced to suffer death or imprisonment for a period in excess of two years, you shall in such case, as also in the case of any other court-martial in which you shall think fit so to do, transmit the proceedings thereof to me for my confirmation or other decision thereon:

And I do hereby further empower you to appoint a fit person to execute the office of Judge Advocate at any court-martial for the more orderly proceedings of same:

And for so doing, this shall be to you, as all others whom it may concern, a sufficient warrant.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this 15th day of January 1954.

D. V. CARNEGIE, Air Vice-Marshal,
Chief of the Air Staff, Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Revocation of Authority by the Chief of the Air Staff for the Convening of General Courts-martial

To: Air Commodore Malcolm Frederick CALDER, C.B.E., formerly Air Member for Personnel but now Air Officer Commanding, Royal New Zealand Air Force Headquarters, London.

WHEREAS I am empowered by Warrant of His Excellency the Governor-General dated the 24th day of December 1953 to direct my Warrant to any officer of the Air Force not below the rank of Squadron Leader, giving him a general authority to convene General Courts-martial for the trial of any person who is subject to the Royal New Zealand Air Force Act 1950, and also to exercise (subject to the provisions of the said Warrant) in respect of the proceedings of such courts-martial the power of confirming the findings or sentences thereof according to law, or of directing him to reserve for my confirmation the proceedings of all or any such courts-martial:

And whereas on the 25th day of February 1952 authority was delegated to you to convene courts-martial and to confirm the findings and sentences thereof, such delegation being published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 19 on the 6th day of March 1952 at page 355:

And whereas the circumstances which gave rise to such delegation no longer exist:

Now, therefore, I hereby cancel and revoke the said delegation of authority.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this 15th day of January 1954.

D. V. CARNEGIE, Air Vice-Marshal,
Chief of the Air Staff, Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Revocation of Authority by the Chief of the Air Staff for the Convening of General Courts-martial

To: Group Captain Francis Ross DIX, O.B.E., formerly Assistant Air Member for Personnel but now Director of Training, Royal New Zealand Air Force Headquarters, Wellington.

WHEREAS I am empowered by Warrant of His Excellency the Governor-General dated the 24th day of December 1953 to direct my Warrant to any officer of the Air Force not below the rank of Squadron Leader, giving him a general authority to convene General Courts-martial for the trial of any person who is subject to the Royal New Zealand Air Force Act 1950, and also to exercise (subject to the provisions of the said Warrant) in respect of the proceedings of such courts-martial the power of confirming the findings or sentences thereof according to law, or of directing him to reserve for my confirmation the proceedings of all or any such courts-martial:

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Given under my hand at Wellington, this 15th day of January 1954.

D. V. CARNEGIE, Air Vice-Marshal,
Chief of the Air Staff, Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Inspector for the Purposes of the Meat Act 1939 Appointed (Notice No. Ag. 5570)

PURSUANT to subsection (2) of section 4 of the Meat Act 1939, the Minister of Agriculture hereby appoints

Kenneth Albert Oulaghan, Esquire, B.V.Sc.,

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Meat Act 1939.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of December 1953.

K. J. HOLYOAKE, Minister of Agriculture.
(Ag. 62/3/117)

Members of the New Zealand Meat Producers Board Appointed (Notice No. Ag. 5575)

PURSUANT to paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section 2 of the Meat Export Control Act 1921-22, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint on the 11th day of January 1954,

Arthur Bartrum Baker, Esquire, and
Charles Thomas Ruddenklau, Esquire,

to be members of, and representatives of the New Zealand Government on, the New Zealand Meat Producers Board established under the said Act, *vice* David Allan and Alan Grant.

Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of January 1954.

K. J. HOLYOAKE, Minister of Agriculture.
(Ag. 67/10/15)

Member of the Longridge Rabbit Board Appointed (Notice No. Ag. 5573)

PURSUANT to section 37 of the Rabbit Nuisance Act 1928, the Minister of Agriculture hereby appoints

William Herbert Smith,

being an Inspector appointed under Part I of the said Act, to be a member of the Longridge Rabbit Board.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of December 1953.

K. J. HOLYOAKE, Minister of Agriculture.
(Ag. 64/1/251)

Member of Licensing Committee Appointed

PURSUANT to section 49 of the Licensing Act 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint:

Edward Thomas Bartosh, Esquire, J.P., of Otaki,

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the Licensing District of Otaki *vice* Ernest Nelson Cunningham, Esquire, deceased.

Dated at Wellington, this 6th day of January 1954.

T. CLIFTON WEBB, Minister of Justice.

Member of the Council of Legal Education Appointed

PURSUANT to section 2 of the New Zealand University Amendment Act 1930, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

The Honourable Harold Eric Barrowclough, C.B., D.S.O., M.C., E.D., Chief Justice of New Zealand,

to be a member of the Council of Legal Education.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of January 1954.

R. M. ALGIE, Minister of Education.

Appointment of Harbourmaster at Queenstown

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Harbours Act 1950 and the Official Appointments and Documents Act 1919, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Alexander Munro

to be the Harbourmaster at Queenstown for the purposes of the Harbours Act 1950.

Dated at Wellington, this 5th day of January 1954.

W. S. GOOSMAN, Minister of Marine.

(M. 12/772)