

My Government anticipates that during this Session you will complete the consideration of measures which have been studied by Select Committees during the Recess. These include the Broadcasting Authority Bill, the Post Office Amendment Bill, the Poultry Bill, and proposals relating to consumer goods. My Ministers will give most careful consideration to the report of the Select Committee which has been studying the questions of blood alcohol tests for drivers of motor vehicles and the demerit points system.

Other measures which will be placed before you will include a consolidation of the Child Welfare legislation, amendments to the National Parks Act, and a Bill to facilitate the establishment of a Building Research Association. There will also be amendments to the New Zealand Society of Accountants Act, the Education Act, the Joint Family Homes Act, and the Civil Defence Act.

I commend all these matters to your careful consideration and I pray that Divine guidance will attend your deliberations.