The Post Office-A Department of State established under the Post Office Act 1959, for the purpose of collecting all levies on motor vehicles and dealing with related matters.

Dated at Wellington this 30th day of August 1973.

K. L. SANDFORD, Chairman, Accident Compensation Commission.

No. 724

Decision of the Indecent Publications Tribunal

In the matter of the Indecent Publications Act 1963, and in the matter of an application by Waverley Publishing Co. Ltd. for a decision in respect of the book *Erotic Art* by Drs Phyllis and Eberhard Kronhausen, published in West Germany.

Mr Campbell appeared on behalf of the applicant and made submissions.

DECISION OF THE TRIBUNAL

This is a slight but quite elegantly produced collection of erotic art both medieval and modern. The text is in German and we were provided by the New Zealand agents for the publishers with an English translation. The text is propagandist but unobjectionable.

We do not think that this is a publication which is likely to corrupt or deprave mature readers. At the same time, some of the works illustrated depict practices which younger people might be misled into accepting as normal acceptable social behaviour. Also, taken out of context and displayed, some of the illustrations would be obscene.

The book looked at as a whole is comparable with works considered by the Tribunal in decisions 77 and 584. An age restriction is appropriate.

The Tribunal classifies this book as indecent in the hands of persons under the age of 18 years.

R. V. S. SIMPSON, Chairman.

28 August 1973.

Appointment and Revocation of Temporary Customs Examining Places in New Zealand

Pursuant to section 32 of the Customs Act 1966, I, Jack Alexander McLeod Kean, Comptroller of Customs, hereby appoint the place described in the First Schedule hereto to be temporary examining place for the examination by the Customs of goods subject to control of Customs, and hereby revoke the appointment* of the place described in the Second Schedule hereto as a temporary examining place for the purpose of that Act for the purpose of that Act.

FIRST SCHEDULE

Situation

Description of Temporary **Examining Place**

Mason Engineers Ltd. Building, Premises occupied by Mogal Packenham Street, Auckland Transportation Ltd.

SECOND SCHEDULE

Situation

Description of Temporary **Examining Place**

Fletchers Building, Great South Premises occupied by Mogal Road, Penrose, Auckland Transportation Ltd.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of August 1973.

J. A. KEAN, Comptroller of Customs.

*New Zealand Gazette, 27 January 1972, No. 6, p. 161

The Standards Act 1965—Specifications Declared to be Standard Specifications

Pursuant to section 23 of the Standards Act 1965, the Standards Council, on 24 August 1973, declared the undermentioned specifications to be standard specifications:

Number and Title of Specification

Price of Copy (Mailed)

NZS 4208: 1973 Code of practice for the design of hospitals with respect to fire. Metric units NZS GP 19: 1973 All-wool blankets. Metric units

1.70

Note—These standards are being printed. Copies are expected to be available after 15 September 1973.

Copies of the standard specifications may be ordered from the Standards Association of New Zealand, World Trade Center, 15-23 Sturdee Street (or Private Bag), Wellington 1.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of August 1973.

G. H. EDWARDS, Director, Standards Association of New Zealand.

(S.A. 1-114/2/2: 479-80)

The Standards Act 1965—Provisional Standard Adopted

PURSUANT to section 17 of the Standards Act 1965, the Standard Council, on 24 August 1973, approved the issue of the under-mentioned provisional standard:

Number and Title of Provisional Standard

Price of Copy (Mailed) \$

NZS 4431P: 1973 Code of practice for earth fill for residential development. Metric units

1.70

Note—This standard is being printed. Copies are expected to be available after 15 September 1973.

Copies of the publication may be ordered from the Standards Association of New Zealand, World Trade Center, 15-23 Sturdee Street (or Private Bag), Wellington 1.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of August 1973.

G. H. EDWARDS, Director, Standards Association of New Zealand.

(S.A. 2-114/2/11: 21)

The Standards Act 1965-Amendment of Standard Specifications

PURSUANT to section 23 of the Standards Act 1965, the Standards Council, on 24 August 1973, amended the undermentioned standard specifications by the incorporation of the amendments shown hereunder:

> Number, Title, and Price of Standard Specification

Amendment Number

1

NZS 1900: -Chapter 5: 1963 Fire resisting construction and means of egress. \$1.70

Copies of the standard specifications so amended are available from the Standards Association of New Zealand, World Trade Center, 15-23 Sturdee Street (or Private Bag), Wellington 1.

Copies of the amendments will be supplied free of charge upon request. All prices include service charges.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of August 1973.

G. H. EDWARDS, Director, Standards Association of New Zealand.

(S.A. 3-114/2/3: 718-19)

The Standards Act 1965-Standard Specifications Revoked

PURSUANT to section 23 of the Standards Act 1965, the Standards Council, on 24 August 1973, revoked the undermentioned standard specifications:

Number and Title of Standard Specification

NZS 1195: 1953 (BS 1803: 1952) Surgical rubber gloves. NZS 1313: 1957 (BS 2554: 1954) Sedimentation tubes for red blood corpuscles.

NZS 1923: 1964 (BS 1892: 1957) Gymnasium equipment. NZS 2135: 1966 (BS 3491: 1962) Sizes of medical X-ray

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of August 1973.

G. H. EDWARDS, Director. Standards Association of New Zealand.

(S.A. 4-114/2/7: 620-23)