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*Revocation of Commission Appointing Sir Edward Denis Blundell, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., K.B.E., to be Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of New Zealand*

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ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God Queen of New Zealand and Her Other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith:

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved Sir Edward Denis Blundell, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Principal Companion of Our Service Order:

GREETING:

WHEREAS by Our Commission under Our Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date at Saint James's the 11th day of September 1972, We did appoint you the said Sir Edward Denis Blundell to be, during Our pleasure, Our Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over New Zealand:

AND WHEREAS you the said Sir Edward Denis Blundell did on the 27th day of September 1972 assume the said office of Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief by taking the prescribed oaths before the Right Honourable Sir Herbert Richard Churton Wild, Chief Justice of New Zealand:

AND WHEREAS you the said Sir Edward Denis Blundell have given faithful and loyal service in pursuance of Our said Commission appointing you to be Our Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over New Zealand:

NOW THEREFORE: as it is Our Will and Pleasure to appoint Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Counsellor Sir Keith Jacka Holyoake, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of Our Order of the Companions of Honour, to be your successor as Our Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over New Zealand, We do by these presents revoke Our Commission under Our Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the 11th day of September 1972, appointing you the said Sir Edward Denis Blundell to be Our Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over New Zealand:

And We direct that this Our command and the revocation effected by it shall take effect from the 5th day of October 1977.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's, and issued under the Seal of New Zealand, this 4th day of October 1977, in the twenty-sixth year of Our Reign.

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By Her Majesty's Command.

R. D. MULDOON, Prime Minister.