

*Notice by Examiner of Commercial Practices of Consent to a Merger and Takeover Proposal*

PURSUANT to section 69 of the Commerce Act 1975, the Examiner of Commercial Practices hereby gives notice of the following merger and takeover proposal to which he has consented.

Person by or on behalf of whom notice was given in terms of section 68 (1) of the Commerce Act 1975

Proposal

Date of Consent

Tasman Pulp and Paper Co. Ltd. . . . . To acquire all the shares in the capital of Winstone Forest Farms Ltd. and all the shares in the capital of Tikitere Pine Ltd. 28 March 1980

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of April 1980.

A. E. MONAGHAN, Examiner of Commercial Practices.

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Radfords and Co. Ltd. . . . . To take over the lease of the building, fittings, and certain lines of stock Irvin and Stern Ltd. in Lower Hutt 21 March 1980

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of April 1980.

A. E. MONAGHAN, Examiner of Commercial Practices.

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PURSUANT to section 69 of the Commerce Act 1975, the Director of Business Practices, duly authorised delegate of the Examiner of Commercial Practices, hereby gives notice of the following merger and takeover proposal to which he has consented.

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Proposal

Date of Consent

Thames Star Co. Ltd. . . . . To merge the business with Hauraki Herald Ltd., to form a new company, Hauraki Publishers Ltd. 1 April 1980

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of April 1980.

G. D. STRINGER, Director of Business Practices.

## RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY, 26 MARCH 1980

<i>Liabilities</i>	\$(000)	<i>Assets</i>	\$(000)
Notes in circulation .. .. .	513,867	Gold .. .. .	699
Demand deposits—		Overseas assets—	
(a) State .. .. .	629,830	(a) Current accounts and short-term bills .. .. .	302,193
(b) Banks .. .. .	12	(b) Investments .. .. .	9,450
(c) Marketing accounts .. .. .	90,757	(c) Holdings of special drawing rights .. .. .	39,207
(d) Other .. .. .	361,463		
	1,082,062		350,850
Time deposits .. .. .	..	New Zealand coin .. .. .	9,166
Liabilities in currencies other than New Zealand currency—		Discounts .. .. .	6,811
(a) Demand .. .. .	834	Advances—	
(b) Time .. .. .	472,843	(a) To the State .. .. .	..
	473,677	(b) To marketing accounts .. .. .	652,679
Allocation of special drawing rights by I.M.F. .. .. .	158,608	(c) Export credits .. .. .	37,990
Other liabilities (including accumulated profits) .. .. .	69,050	(d) Other advances .. .. .	638,013
Capital accounts—			
(a) General reserve .. .. .	10,000	Investments in New Zealand—	
(b) Other reserves .. .. .	43,879	(a) New Zealand Government securities .. .. .	573,919
	53,879	(b) Other .. .. .	27
	53,879	Other assets .. .. .	573,946
	\$2,351,143		80,989
			\$2,351,143

E. D. VALLANCE, Chief Accountant.