

*Extending the Time Within Which the Royal Commission on
Broadcasting and Related Telecommunications May Report*

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 ROBERT McDONALD CHAPMAN, of Auckland, University Professor, MICHAEL JOHN ALBERT BROWN, of Auckland, District Court Judge, LAURENCE ALFRED CAMERON, of Wellington, Company Director, and ELIZABETH ANN NELSON, of Auckland, Company Director:

GREETING:

WHEREAS by Our Warrant dated the 4th day of February 1985* We nominated, constituted, and appointed you, the said Robert McDonald Chapman, Michael John Albert Brown, Laurence Alfred Cameron, and Elizabeth Ann Nelson to be a Commission to inquire into and report upon the institutions, operations, financing, and control of New Zealand broadcasting and related telecommunications:

And whereas by Our said Warrant you were required to report to His Excellency the Governor-General, not later than the 30th day of June 1986, your findings and opinions on the matters aforesaid, together with such recommendations as you think fit to make in respect thereof:

And whereas it is expedient that the time for so reporting should be extended as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, We do hereby extend until the 30th day of September 1986, the time within which you are so required to report, without prejudice to the continuation of the liberty conferred on you by Our said Warrant to report your proceedings and findings from time to time if you should judge it expedient to do so:

And We do hereby confirm Our said Warrant and the Commission thereby constituted save as modified by these presents:

And, lastly, it is hereby declared that these presents are issued under the authority of the Letters Patent of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second constituting the office of Governor-General of New Zealand, dated the 28th day of October 1983†, and under the authority of and subject to the provisions of the Commissions of Inquiry Act 1908, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand.

In witness whereof We have caused this our Commission to be issued and the Seal of New Zealand to be hereunto affixed at Wellington this 24th day of March 1986.

Witness The Most Reverend Sir Paul Alfred Reeves, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Principal Companion of the Queen's Service Order, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over New Zealand.

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PAUL REEVES, Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command—

GEOFFREY PALMER, Deputy Prime Minister.

Approved in Council—

P. G. MILLEN,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

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