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1 TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT
(1) This order may be cited as the Local Government (Southland Region) Reorganisation Order 1989.
(2) Subject to subclause (3) of this clause, this order shall come into force on the 1st day of November 1989.
(3) Those provisions of this order necessary:
   (a) To provide for the first election of the members of the local authorities, and the members of the community boards for the communities constituted by this order; and
   (b) For the purposes of clauses 26 to 33, 51 to 57, 74 to 80, 99 to 106 and 117 of this order; and
   (c) For the appointment of the principal administrative officers of the local authorities constituted by this order, shall come into force on the making of this order.

2 ELECTIONS
The first elections of the local authorities, and the community boards for the communities, constituted by this order shall be held on the 14th day of October 1989.

3 COMMUNITIES
Each community constituted by this order shall come into existence on the day after the date on which the Returning Officer declares the result of the first election of members of the community board for that community, provided that no such community shall come into existence prior to the 1st day of November 1989.

PART I

Southland Region

4 CONSTITUTION OF SOUTHLAND REGION
There is hereby constituted a region, to be known as “The Southland Region”, which shall comprise the area delineated on S.O. Plan No. 11470 deposited with the Chief Surveyor of the Southland Land District.

5 CONSTITUENT AUTHORITIES
The constituent authorities of the Southland Region shall comprise the territorial authorities constituted by Parts III to V of this order.

6 DISSOLUTION OF EXISTING LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND ABOLITION OF EXISTING DISTRICTS
(1) Every local authority named in Part I or Part II of the First Schedule to this order is hereby dissolved.
(2) Every district named in Part I of the First Schedule to this order is hereby abolished.

7 REFERENCES TO FORMER AUTHORITY
(1) Every reference in this order to a former authority shall, where part only of the district of a former authority has been