



State Sector (Ministry for Primary Industries) Order 2012

Jerry Mateparae, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 26th day of March 2012

Present:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council

Pursuant to sections 30A and 30K of the State Sector Act 1988, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council, makes the following order.

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Order

- Title**
This order is the State Sector (Ministry for Primary Industries) Order 2012.

2 Commencement

This order comes into force on 30 April 2012.

3 State Sector Act 1988 amended

- (1) In the State Sector Act 1988, Schedule 1, delete the item relating to the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.
- (2) In the State Sector Act 1988, Schedule 1, insert in its appropriate alphabetical order “Ministry for Primary Industries”.

4 Application of consequential changes to references provisions

Sections 30H and 30I of the State Sector Act 1988 apply to things coming into force, entered into, or created during the transitional period beginning on 30 April 2012 and ending on 30 June 2013, after the name of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry is changed to Ministry for Primary Industries.

Rebecca Kitteridge,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Explanatory note

This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This order comes into force on 30 April 2012.

Name change from Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry to Ministry for Primary Industries

This order removes the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry (**MAF**) from the list of departments of the Public Service in Schedule 1 of the State Sector Act 1988, because the name of MAF is changing to that of Ministry for Primary Industries (**MPI**) by exercise of the Crown’s prerogative on 30 April 2012. The Ministry for Primary Industries is then inserted into the list of departments of the Public Service in Schedule 1 of the State Sector Act 1988.

This order also applies sections 30H and 30I of the State Sector Act 1988 (which concern consequential changes to references to departments and chief executives in enactments and other things in force at the time of reorganisation) to things coming into force, entered into, or created after the name change from MAF to MPI, for a transitional period beginning on 30 April 2012 and ending on 30 June 2013. During this period, any references to MAF or the chief executive of that department must be read as references to MPI or its chief executive.

References to Ministry of Fisheries to be read as references to Ministry for Primary Industries

A companion order, the State Sector (Application of Certain Provisions to Transfer of Functions from Ministry of Fisheries to Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry) Amendment Order 2012, extends the transitional period during which sections 30H and 30I of the State Sector Act 1988 apply to things coming into force, entered into, or created after the transfer of functions from the Ministry of Fisheries (**MFish**) to MAF, to 30 June 2013.

The combined effect of these 2 orders is that, until 30 June 2013, any references to MFish or the chief executive of that department must be read as references to MPI or its chief executive.

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This order is administered by the State Services Commission.
