

PATEA BY-ELECTION BILL

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Bill provides for the revocation of the writ issued for the Patea by-election, and for the issue of a new writ on the same day as the writ to be issued for the Onslow by-election, so that both elections may be held on the same day, and in each case the same days may be fixed for the closing of the roll, the nomination of candidates, and the return of the writ.

Right Hon. Mr Holland

PATEA BY-ELECTION

ANALYSIS

Title.
1. Short Title.

2. Patea by-election to be held
on same date as Onslow
by-election.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to postpone the Patea by-election until the date
of the Onslow by-election. Title.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New
Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority
of the same, as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the Patea By-election
Act 1954. Short Title.

2. (1) The writ issued under the Electoral Act 1927
on the third day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-
four, for the election of a member of Parliament for the
electoral district of Patea is hereby revoked. Patea
by-election to
be held on
same date as
Onslow
by-election.

(2) On the date of the issue of a writ for the election
of a member of Parliament for the electoral district of
Onslow pursuant to the warrant issued on the eighteenth
day of June, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, a fresh
writ shall be issued for the election of a member of
Parliament for the electoral district of Patea, and in
each writ the same days shall be named for the nomina-
tion of candidates, for the polling, and for the return of
the writ. See Reprint
of Statutes,
Vol. VI, p. 469