HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Supplementary Order Paper

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TE RUNANGA O NGAI TAHU BILL

Proposed Amendments

Hon. Doug Kidd, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

Clause 2: To omit from line 1 on page 3 the words "and Ngati Mamoe", and substitute the words "Ngati Mamoe, and Waitaha".

Clause 114: To insert in line 36 on page 12, before the words "Is carried", the words "Subject to subsection (3) of this section,".

To add, after line 5 on page 13, the following subclause:

(3) Where the notice required by subsection (2) (b) of this section is given less than 28 clear days before the date of the meeting of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu, the meeting shall nevertheless be deemed to be properly convened if, before the meeting proceeds to business, all the members of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu agree in writing that the meeting is, notwithstanding the shorter period of notice, deemed to be properly convened.

Clause 21: To omit from lines 11 to 13 on page 19 the words "Acts specified in the First Schedule to the Inland Revenue Department Act 1974", and substitute the words "Inland Revenue Acts (as defined in section 3 (1) of the Tax Administration Act 1994)".

To omit from line 39 on page 19 the expression "Income Tax Act 1976", and substitute the expression "Income Tax Act 1994".

To omit from lines 1 and 2 on page 20 the words "Acts specified in the First Schedule to the Inland Revenue Department Act 1974", and substitute the words "Inland Revenue Acts (as defined in section 3 (1) of the Tax Administration Act 1994)".

Clause 22: To omit from lines 5 and 6 on page 21 the expression "Income Tax Act 1976", and substitute the expression "Income Tax Act 1994".

To omit from line 12 on page 21 the word "under", and substitute the words ", by virtue of section 21 of this Act or".

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Clause 2: The proposed amendment recognises that Ngai Tahu Whanui descend not only from Ngai Tahu and Ngati Mamoe but also from Waitaha.

Clause 11s provides that the charter of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu may be amended from time to time by a special resolution of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu. Notice of the intention to put the resolution must be given at least 28 clear days before the date of the meeting.

The amendment now proposed reflects the contents of the charter in that, where the required notice is given less than 28 clear days before the date of the meeting, the meeting will nevertheless be treated as properly convened if, before the meeting proceeds to business, all the members of Te Runanga o Ngai Tahu agree in writing that the meeting is, notwithstanding the shorter period of notice, deemed to be properly convened.

Clauses 21 and 22: The proposed amendments to clause 21 and the first of the proposed amendments to clause 22 are consequential on the repeal of the Inland Revenue Department Act 1974 and the Income Tax Act 1976, and the enactment of the Tax Administration Act 1994 and the Income Tax Act 1994.

The second of the proposed amendments to *clause 22* improves the drafting of *subclause (3) (c)* of that clause.