# Version as at 21 November 2024



# Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Amendment Regulations 2023

(SL 2023/81)

Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Amendment Regulations 2023: revoked, on 21 November 2024, pursuant to section 38(3) of the Gangs Act 2024 (2024 No 36).

Rt Hon Dame Helen Winkelmann, Administrator of the Government

#### **Order in Council**

At Wellington this 15th day of May 2023

#### Present:

Her Excellency the Administrator of the Government in Council

These regulations are made under section 5 of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Act 2013—

- (a) on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council; and
- (b) on the recommendation of the Minister of Police made in accordance with section 5(2) of that Act.

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#### Note

The Parliamentary Counsel Office has made editorial and format changes to this version using the powers under subpart 2 of Part 3 of the Legislation Act 2019.

Note 4 at the end of this version provides a list of the amendments included in it.

These regulations are administered by the Ministry of Justice.

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## Regulations

#### 1 Title

These regulations are the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Amendment Regulations 2023.

#### 2 Commencement

These regulations come into force on 16 June 2023.

#### 3 Principal regulations

These regulations amend the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Regulations 2018.

#### 4 New regulations 5 to 9 inserted

After regulation 4, insert:

#### 5 Crips identified

The group of persons that is known by the name Crips, or by a name that is substantially similar to that name, is identified as a gang for the purposes of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Act 2013.

#### 6 Finks Motorcycle Club identified

The group of persons that is known by the name Finks Motorcycle Club, or by a name that is substantially similar to that name, is identified as a gang for the purposes of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Act 2013.

#### 7 Full Blooded Islanders (FBI) identified

(1) The group of persons that is known by the name Full Blooded Islanders, or by the abbreviation of that name, FBI, or by a name that is substantially similar to that name, is identified as a gang for the purposes of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Act 2013.

(2) To avoid doubt, the group of persons identified in subclause (1) is not intended to include persons belonging to the United States Federal Bureau of Investigation, also known as the FBI.

#### 8 Kuki Squad identified

The group of persons that is known by the name Kuki Squad, or by a name that is substantially similar to that name, is identified as a gang for the purposes of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Act 2013.

#### 9 West Side Nation/Uru Taha identified

The group of persons that is known by the name West Side Nation or by the name Uru Taha, or by a name that is substantially similar to those names, is identified as a gang for the purposes of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Act 2013.

Rachel Hayward, Clerk of the Executive Council.

### **Explanatory note**

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect. These regulations, which come into force on 16 June 2023, amend the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Regulations 2018 (the **principal regulations**).

The principal regulations identify particular groups of persons as gangs for the purposes of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Act 2013 (the **Act**). This has the effect of prohibiting any person from displaying gang insignia relating to those gangs in any government premises.

These regulations amend the principal regulations by inserting *new regulations 5 to 9*. The amendment means that the groups of persons known by the following names, or by a name substantially similar to one of the following names, are identified as gangs for the purposes of the Act:

- Crips:
- Finks Motorcycle Club:
- Full Blooded Islanders or FBI:
- Kuki Squad:
- West Side Nation or Uru Taha.

Issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2019. Date of notification in *Gazette*: 18 May 2023.

#### **Notes**

#### 1 General

This is a consolidation of the Prohibition of Gang Insignia in Government Premises Amendment Regulations 2023 that incorporates the amendments made to the legislation so that it shows the law as at its stated date.

#### 2 Legal status

A consolidation is taken to correctly state, as at its stated date, the law enacted or made by the legislation consolidated and by the amendments. This presumption applies unless the contrary is shown.

Section 78 of the Legislation Act 2019 provides that this consolidation, published as an electronic version, is an official version. A printed version of legislation that is produced directly from this official electronic version is also an official version.

#### 3 Editorial and format changes

The Parliamentary Counsel Office makes editorial and format changes to consolidations using the powers under subpart 2 of Part 3 of the Legislation Act 2019. See also PCO editorial conventions for consolidations.

#### 4 Amendments incorporated in this consolidation

Gangs Act 2024 (2024 No 36): section 38(3)

Wellington, New Zealand: