



Corrections Amendment Act 2011

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Commencement see section 2

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The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

- Title**
This Act is the Corrections Amendment Act 2011.
- Commencement**
This Act comes into force on the day that is 2 years after the date on which this Act receives the Royal assent unless it is

brought into force on an earlier date appointed by the Governor-General by Order in Council.

3 Principal Act amended

This Act amends the Corrections Act 2004.

4 New section 34A inserted

The following section is inserted after section 34:

“34A Detention of child or young person serving sentence of imprisonment

- “(1) Notwithstanding anything in this Act,—
- “(a) any young person who is serving a sentence of imprisonment may be detained under that sentence in any residence approved by the chief executive of the department for the time being responsible for the administration of the Children, Young Persons, and their Families Act 1989 and the chief executive; and
 - “(b) any child who is serving a sentence of imprisonment must be detained under that sentence in such a residence.
- “(2) The provisions of this Act and of the Parole Act 2002, and regulations made under those Acts, continue to apply, with any necessary modifications, to a child or young person who is detained for the time being in a residence in accordance with subsection (1).
- “(3) For the purposes of this section, the terms **child**, **young person**, and **residence** have the same meanings as they have in the Children, Young Persons, and Their Families Act 1989.
“Compare: 1985 No 120 s 142A”.

5 New section 190A inserted

The following section is inserted after section 190:

“190A Minister may approve subsidies for voluntary groups

- “(1) The Minister may from time to time, with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance, approve the payment, out of money appropriated by Parliament for the purpose, of contributions towards the expenses of—

- “(a) any medical, psychological, social, therapeutic, cultural, educational, employment-related, rehabilitative, or reintegrative programme involved with the care of persons detained in or released from prisons or subject to community-based sentences:
- “(b) any organisation, whether formed before or after the commencement of this Act, that has as its object or one of its objects the assistance of persons detained in or released from prisons or subject to community-based sentences.
- “(2) In approving any contribution, the Minister may impose any conditions that the Minister thinks fit with respect to its expenditure and accounting for that expenditure.
“Compare: 1985 No 120 s 147”.

6 Further amendments to principal Act

The principal Act is amended as set out in the Schedule.

Schedule

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Amendments to principal Act**Section 19(7)(e)**

Omit “Part 7 of the Summary Proceedings Act 1957” and substitute “Sections 4A to 4F of the Justices of the Peace Act 1957”.

Section 65(1)(a)

Omit “, summary hearing.”.

Section 141(1B) and (1C)

Omit “summary”.

Section 141A(2)

Omit “summary”.

Section 142

Omit “summary”.

Section 143

Subsection (2A): omit “summary”.

Subsection (2B): insert “on conviction” after “liable”.

Section 144(2)

Omit “summary”.

Section 145

Omit “summary”.

Section 146

Omit “summary”.

Section 147

Omit “summary”.

Section 148(4)

Omit “summary”.

Legislative history

29 September 2011	Divided from Criminal Procedure (Reform and Modernisation) Bill (Bill 243–2) by committee of the whole House as Bill 243–3D
4 October 2011	Third reading
17 October 2011	Royal assent

This Act is administered by the Department of Corrections.
