

**Reprint  
as at 26 November 2018**



## **Social Security Amendment Act 2011**

Public Act      2011 No 48  
Date of assent      22 July 2011  
Commencement      see section 2

Social Security Amendment Act 2011: repealed, on 26 November 2018, pursuant to section 455(1) of the Social Security Act 2018 (2018 No 32).

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**The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:**

**1      Title**

This Act is the Social Security Amendment Act 2011.

**2      Commencement**

- (1) This Act (except section 4(2)) comes into force on the day after the date on which it receives the Royal assent.
- (2) Section 4(2) comes into force on the earlier of—

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**Note**

Changes authorised by subpart 2 of Part 2 of the Legislation Act 2012 have been made in this official reprint.  
Note 4 at the end of this reprint provides a list of the amendments incorporated.

**This Act is administered by the Ministry of Social Development.**

- (a) a date appointed by the Governor-General by Order in Council; and
- (b) the expiry of the period of 15 months that starts on the date on which this Act receives the Royal assent.

Section 2(2)(a): section 4(2) brought into force, on 13 February 2012, by the Social Security Amendment Act 2011 Commencement Order 2011 (SR 2011/393).

### 3 Principal Act amended

This Act amends the Social Security Act 1964.

### 4 Information on beneficiaries and former beneficiaries may be disclosed to Department for Courts for fines enforcement purposes

- (1) The heading to section 126A is amended by omitting “**Department for Courts**” and substituting “**Ministry of Justice**”.
- (2) Section 126A(1) is amended by repealing the definition of **fine** and substituting the following definition:

**fine** means—

- (a) a fine within the meaning of section 79 of the Summary Proceedings Act 1957;
  - (b) a fine to which section 19 of the Crimes Act 1961 applies;
  - (c) a fine to which section 43 or 45 of the Misuse of Drugs Amendment Act 1978 applies;
  - (d) a fine to which section 28I of the District Courts Act 1947 applies;
  - (e) any amount payable under section 138A(1) of the Sentencing Act 2002.
- (3) Section 126A(2) is amended by omitting “Department for Courts” in each place where it appears and substituting in each case “Ministry of Justice”.
  - (4) Section 126A(3) is amended by omitting “Department for Courts” and substituting “Ministry of Justice”.
  - (5) Section 126A is amended by inserting the following subsection after subsection (3):
  - (3A) For each item of information to be supplied under subsection (3), the chief executive of the department must include the date when the information was most recently updated.
  - (6) Section 126A(4) is amended by omitting “Department for Courts” and substituting “Ministry of Justice”.

## Reprints notes

### **1**    *General*

This is a reprint of the Social Security Amendment Act 2011 that incorporates all the amendments to that Act as at the date of the last amendment to it.

### **2**    *Legal status*

Reprints are presumed to correctly state, as at the date of the reprint, the law enacted by the principal enactment and by any amendments to that enactment. Section 18 of the Legislation Act 2012 provides that this reprint, published in electronic form, has the status of an official version under section 17 of that Act. A printed version of the reprint produced directly from this official electronic version also has official status.

### **3**    *Editorial and format changes*

Editorial and format changes to reprints are made using the powers under sections 24 to 26 of the Legislation Act 2012. See also <http://www.pco.parliament.govt.nz/editorial-conventions/>.

### **4**    *Amendments incorporated in this reprint*

Social Security Act 2018 (2018 No 32): section 455(1)

Social Security Amendment Act 2011 Commencement Order 2011 (SR 2011/393)