

**Reprint
as at 1 July 2013**



High Court Fees Regulations 2001

(SR 2001/310)

High Court Fees Regulations 2001: revoked, on 1 July 2013, by regulation 28(c) of the High Court Fees Regulations 2013 (SR 2013/226).

Silvia Cartwright, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 9th day of October 2001

Present:

Her Excellency the Governor-General in Council

Pursuant to section 100A of the Judicature Act 1908, Her Excellency the Governor-General, acting on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council, makes the following regulations.

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Changes authorised by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 have been made in this reprint.

A general outline of these changes is set out in the notes at the end of this reprint, together with other explanatory material about this reprint.

These regulations are administered by the Ministry of Justice.

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Regulations

1 Title

These regulations are the High Court Fees Regulations 2001.

2 Commencement

These regulations come into force on 15 October 2001.

3 Interpretation

In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires,—

Act means the Judicature Act 1908

appeal means an appeal under Part 20 or 26 of the High Court Rules; and **appellant** has a corresponding meaning

close of pleadings date means the close of pleadings date determined for the proceeding under Part 7 of the High Court Rules

concession rate proceeding means any of the following proceedings:

- (a) an appeal to the court under any enactment; or
- (b) an application for review under Part 1 of the Judicature Amendment Act 1972; or
- (c) a proceeding to which Part 18 of the High Court Rules applies; or

- (d) an originating application to which Part 19 of the High Court Rules applies; or
- (e) an application to which Part 30 of the High Court Rules applies; or
- (f) an application to put a company into liquidation to which Part 31 of the High Court Rules applies

court means the High Court

High Court Rules means the rules from time to time set out in Schedule 2 of the Act

Registrar means a Registrar of the court; and includes a Deputy Registrar of the court

working day has the same meaning as in rule 1.3(1) of the High Court Rules.

Regulation 3 **appeal**: inserted, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 3 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).

Regulation 3 **appeal**: amended, on 20 November 2009, by regulation 4(1) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2009 (SR 2009/321).

Regulation 3 **close of pleadings date**: inserted, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 4(1) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Regulation 3 **concession rate proceeding**: substituted, on 20 November 2009, by regulation 4(2) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2009 (SR 2009/321).

Regulation 3 **High Court Rules**: inserted, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 3 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).

Regulation 3 **public law proceeding**: revoked, on 1 July 2004, by regulation 3 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2004 (SR 2004/166).

Regulation 3 **setting down date**: revoked, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 4(2) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Regulation 3 **standard track**: revoked, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 4(2) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Regulation 3 **working day**: added, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 3 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).

Regulation 3 **working day**: amended, on 20 November 2009, by regulation 4(5) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2009 (SR 2009/321).

4 Application

- (1) These regulations apply to civil proceedings in the court.
- (2) Nothing in these regulations applies to applications under the Criminal Proceeds (Recovery) Act 2009.

Regulation 4: substituted, on 1 July 2004, by regulation 4 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2004 (SR 2004/166).

Regulation 4(2): amended, on 1 December 2009, by regulation 4 of the High Court Fees (Criminal Proceeds (Recovery) Act 2009) Amendment Regulations 2009 (SR 2009/314).

5 Fees of court

- (1) The fees specified in the Schedule are payable, and must be taken by the proper officer of the court, in proceedings to which these regulations apply in respect of the matters so specified.
- (2) A fee prescribed by subclause (1) in respect of a matter is not payable if another fee is payable in respect of that matter under any Act, regulation, Order in Council, or notice.
- (3) No fees other than those specified in the Schedule are payable in the court in respect of—
 - (a) any proceedings in the court to which these regulations apply; or
 - (b) any caveat.
- (4) Subclause (3) is subject to the Sheriffs' Fees Regulations 1988 and any provision contained in any Act, regulation, Order in Council, or notice that prescribes fees payable in the High Court.

6 Power to waive fees

- (1) A person (the **applicant**) otherwise responsible for the payment of a fee required in connection with a proceeding or an intended proceeding may apply to a Registrar for a waiver of the fee.
- (2) The Registrar may waive the fee payable by the applicant if satisfied,—
 - (a) on the basis of one of the criteria specified in subclause (3), that the applicant is unable to pay the fee; or
 - (b) that the proceeding,—
 - (i) on the basis of one of the criteria specified in subclause (4), concerns a matter of genuine public interest; and
 - (ii) is unlikely to be commenced or continued unless the fee is waived.
- (3) For the purposes of these regulations, an applicant is unable to pay the fee sought to be waived if—

- (a) the applicant has been granted legal aid in respect of the matter for which the fee is payable; or
 - (b) the applicant has not been granted legal aid in respect of the matter for which the fee is payable and the applicant—
 - (i) is dependent for the payment of his or her living expenses on a benefit of a kind specified in any of paragraphs (a) to (e), (h), and (j) of the definition of income-tested benefit in section 3(1) of the Social Security Act 1964; or
 - (ii) is wholly dependent for the payment of his or her living expenses on New Zealand superannuation under the New Zealand Superannuation and Retirement Income Act 2001 or a veteran's pension under the War Pensions Act 1954; or
 - (iii) would otherwise suffer undue financial hardship if he or she paid the fee.
- (4) For the purposes of these regulations, a proceeding that concerns a matter of genuine public interest is—
- (a) a proceeding that has been or is intended to be commenced to determine a question of law that is of significant interest to the public or to a substantial section of the public; or
 - (b) a proceeding that—
 - (i) raises issues of significant interest to the public or to a substantial section of the public; and
 - (ii) has been or is intended to be commenced by an organisation that, by its governing enactment, constitution, or rules, is expressly or by necessary implication required to promote matters in the public interest.
- (5) An application under subclause (1) must be made in a form approved for the purpose by the chief executive of the Ministry of Justice unless, in a particular case, the Registrar considers that an application in that form is not necessary.

Regulation 6(3): substituted, on 1 July 2004, by regulation 5 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2004 (SR 2004/166).

Regulation 6(3)(b)(ii): amended, on 21 April 2005, by section 9(2) of the New Zealand Superannuation and Retirement Income Amendment Act 2005 (2005 No 42).

Regulation 6(5): amended, on 1 October 2003, pursuant to section 14(2) of the State Sector Amendment Act 2003 (2003 No 41).

7 Payment of fee may be postponed pending determination of application for waiver or review

- (1) A Registrar may, on application by a person who is awaiting the determination of an application under regulation 6(1) or section 100B of the Act, postpone the payment of the fee to which the application relates until the date on which the person is notified of the determination.
- (2) A Registrar may exercise the power under subclause (1) if satisfied that the person awaiting the determination of his or her application would be prejudiced if the matter to which the fee relates did not proceed before the determination.
- (3) An application under subclause (1) must be made in a form approved for the purpose by the chief executive of the Ministry of Justice unless, in a particular case, the Registrar considers that an application in that form is not necessary.

Regulation 7(3): amended, on 1 October 2003, pursuant to section 14(2) of the State Sector Amendment Act 2003 (2003 No 41).

8 Recovery of postponed fee

- (1) This regulation applies to a fee (the **fee**) that has been postponed under regulation 7.
- (2) If the effect of a determination under regulation 6 or section 100B of the Act is that the fee is not to be waived, the fee—
 - (a) must be paid, without delay, to the Registrar; and
 - (b) is recoverable as a debt due to the Crown in any court of competent jurisdiction.
- (3) Following a determination that has the effect referred to in subclause (2), the person responsible for paying the fee may not take a step in the proceeding to which the fee relates unless the fee is paid.
- (4) This regulation has effect subject to regulation 7 during any period that the question of the waiver of the fee is the subject of a pending application under section 100B of the Act.

9 Power to refund fees

- (1) A Registrar may, on application made to him or her, refund a fee that has already been paid if satisfied that—
 - (a) no application, under regulation 6, for a waiver of the fee was made; and
 - (b) the fee would have been waived, in accordance with regulation 6, had that application been made; and
 - (c) the criteria that would have justified that waiver still apply at the date of the application for the refund.
- (2) An application under subclause (1) must be made in a form approved for the purpose by the chief executive of the Ministry of Justice unless, in a particular case, the Registrar considers that an application in that form is not necessary.

Regulation 9(2): amended, on 1 October 2003, pursuant to section 14(2) of the State Sector Amendment Act 2003 (2003 No 41).

10 Fees payable by liquidators of companies without assets

If the liquidator of a company gives a Registrar a certificate stating that the company has no immediately available assets out of which to pay the full fees for a proceeding or matter relating to the liquidation of the company, no fee (other than sheriffs' fees and the fee referred to in item 1 of the Schedule for an application to put a company into liquidation) is payable in the High Court for that proceeding or matter.

11 Payment of fees for determining close of pleadings dates

- (1) The plaintiff in a proceeding that is subject to case management under subpart 1 of Part 7 of the High Court Rules must pay the appropriate fee specified in item 6 of the Schedule by the earlier of the following days:
 - (a) the working day before the commencement of the substantive hearing;
 - (b) the 30th working day after the close of pleadings date for the proceeding.
- (2) Despite subclause (1), the fee ceases to be payable if the Registrar is, before the day by which the fee must be paid, notified that the proceeding has been settled or discontinued or abandoned.
- (3) This regulation is subject to regulations 6 and 7.

Regulation 11: substituted, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 4 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).

Regulation 11 heading: amended, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 5(1) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Regulation 11(1): amended, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 5(2) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Regulation 11(1): amended, on 1 July 2004, by regulation 6 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2004 (SR 2004/166).

Regulation 11(1)(b): amended, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 5(3) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Regulation 11(1)(b): amended, on 24 August 2007, by regulation 4 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2007 (SR 2007/207).

11A Payment of fees for determining hearing dates for appeals

- (1) The appellant in an appeal must pay the appropriate fee specified in item 7 of the Schedule by the earlier of the following days:
 - (a) the working day before the commencement of the hearing of the appeal:
 - (b) the tenth working day after the day on which the hearing date for the appeal is determined by, or under, a direction of the court.
- (2) Despite subclause (1), the fee ceases to be payable if the Registrar is, before the day by which the fee must be paid, notified that the appeal has been settled or discontinued or abandoned.
- (3) This regulation is subject to regulations 6 and 7.

Regulation 11A: inserted, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 4 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).

Regulation 11A(1): amended, on 1 July 2004, by regulation 7 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2004 (SR 2004/166).

12 Hearing fees to be prepaid

- (1) The plaintiff, applicant, or appellant (as the case requires) must prepay the appropriate hearing fee specified in item 8 or item 9 of the Schedule not later than the beginning of each half-day (or part of a half-day) of the hearing for which the fee is payable.
- (2) If any fee that has been prepaid relates to 1 or more half-days of hearing time that is not in the end required, the Registrar must refund so much of the fee as relates to that hearing time.

- (3) If the plaintiff's claim in a proceeding is determined, settled, or discontinued but a counterclaim remains to be heard, the party still requiring the hearing or the continuation of the hearing is responsible for the fee from the time when the plaintiff's claim is determined, settled, or discontinued.
- (4) If 2 or more proceedings are to be tried together, hearing fees must be paid in respect of each proceeding unless the court otherwise directs.
- (5) This regulation is subject to regulations 6 and 7.
Regulation 12(1): substituted, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 5 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).
Regulation 12(1): amended, on 1 July 2004, by regulation 8 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2004 (SR 2004/166).
Regulation 12(2): substituted, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 5 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).
Regulation 12(3): substituted, on 24 November 2003, by regulation 5 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292).

13 GST included

The fees fixed by these regulations are inclusive of goods and services tax.

14 Revocation

- (1) The High Court Fees Regulations 1997 (SR 1997/332) are consequentially revoked.
 - (2) In respect of proceedings commenced before the date on which these regulations come into force, no further fee is payable under the High Court Fees Regulations 1997, and the appropriate fees, if any, set out in the Schedule of these regulations are payable in respect of any step taken on or after that date.
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Schedule
Fees payable in respect of proceedings in court

r 5(1)

Schedule: substituted, on 1 July 2011, by regulation 4 of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2011 (SR 2011/163).

| | Fee (\$) |
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| 1 | |
| Filing (including sealing where necessary) the original document commencing any proceeding (other than an interlocutory proceeding) to which these regulations apply, unless otherwise provided for,— | |
| (a) in the case of a concession rate proceeding | 483.40 |
| (b) in the case of any other proceeding | 1,329.20 |
| For the purposes of this item, the original document commencing any proceeding is— | |
| (c) in the case of a proceeding commenced by statement of claim, including an application to put a company into liquidation, the statement of claim; and | |
| (d) in the case of an appeal or cross-appeal, the notice of appeal or other document by which the appeal or cross-appeal is instituted; and | |
| (e) in every other case (including a proceeding to which Part 18 or 19 of the High Court Rules applies), the first document (other than a caveat or an application for directions as to service) filed in the proceeding by the plaintiff that gives to the court and to the opposite party (if any) particulars of the claim made, or of the order or other relief sought, by the plaintiff. | |
| 2 | |
| Filing an interlocutory application (other than an application for summary judgment)— | |
| (a) if made in a concession rate proceeding | 241.70 |
| (b) if made under rule 5.41(1) of the High Court Rules | no fee |
| (c) if made in relation to an application for, or grant of, probate or letters of administration or if made under the Wills Act 2007 | 78.00 |
| (d) if made in any other proceeding | 725.00 |
| 3 | |
| Filing— | 108.80 |
| (a) a statement of defence; or | |
| (b) an amended statement of defence; or | |

| | Fee (\$) |
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| (c) an amended statement of claim; or | |
| (d) an appearance; or | |
| (e) a third party notice; or | |
| (f) a statement of claim between defendants; or | |
| (g) a statement of defence between defendants | |
| 4 Filing a counterclaim, or statement of defence and counterclaim where both are included in the 1 document,— | |
| (a) in the case of a concession rate proceeding | 483.40 |
| (b) in the case of any other proceeding | 1,329.20 |
| 5 Filing, under rule 12.9 of the High Court Rules, the first affidavit filed by a party in answer to an affidavit filed in support of an interlocutory application for summary judgment | 108.80 |
| 6 Determination of close of pleadings date for a proceeding that is subject to case management under subpart 1 of Part 7 of the High Court Rules (other than an undefended demand for an unliquidated amount)— | |
| (a) in the case of a concession rate proceeding | 1,208.40 |
| (b) in the case of any other proceeding that is subject to case management under subpart 1 of Part 7 of the High Court Rules | 3,141.80 |
| 7 Determination of hearing date for an appeal | 1,208.40 |
| 8 Hearing fee for each half-day or part half-day after the first day— | |
| (a) if required for a concession rate proceeding | 604.20 |
| (b) if required for any other proceeding | 1,570.90 |
| This item applies, unless otherwise provided, in respect of the hearing of every proceeding, including— | |
| (c) the hearing of every appeal and every cross-appeal; and | |
| (d) the hearing of every interlocutory application (other than an interlocutory application for summary judgment in respect of which an affidavit in answer has been filed). | |
| 9 Hearing an interlocutory application for summary judgment in respect of which an affidavit in answer has been filed (fee for each half-day or part of a half-day after the first half-day) | 1,570.90 |

| | Fee (\$) |
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| 10 Sealing the original copy of any judgment, order, rule, memorial, certificate, commission, letters of request, or judgment not otherwise provided for However, no sealing fee is payable in respect of— (a) any order made in interlocutory proceedings; or (b) any probate or letters of administration; or (c) any order for admission as a barrister and solicitor. | 48.30 |
| 11 Issuing a certified copy of any document or any Registrar's certificate | 42.30 |
| 12 Filing an application for admission as a barrister and solicitor | 120.80 |
| 13 Filing an application for probate or letters of administration If a fee is paid under this item, no fee is payable in respect of any application for leave to swear death in respect of the testator or other person in respect of whom the grant of administration is sought. | 90.60 |
| 14 Sealing exemplifications or duplicates (probate or letters of administration) or resealing under section 71 of the Administration Act 1969 | 24.20 |
| 15 Attendance before a Registrar in an inquiry or reference, or an examination of witnesses by a Registrar under an order of the court | 441.10 |
| 16 Supplying a copy of a judgment (other than a copy supplied to a party to the proceeding)— (a) not exceeding 5 pages (b) exceeding 5 pages but not exceeding 50 pages (c) exceeding 50 pages but not exceeding 75 pages (d) exceeding 75 pages | 18.10 36.30 48.30 60.40 |
| 17 Faxing documents at the request of a party (except if documents have to be faxed for operational reasons) plus per page faxed | 2.40 1.20 |
| 18 Supplying a copy of any document, other than a judgment | actual and reasonable costs |
| 19 Searching or inspecting the formal court record kept in a registry of the court (rule 3.7(1) of the High Court Rules)— | |

| | Fee (\$) |
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| | for each search and inspection 25.56 |
| 20 | Searching or inspecting a document or court file that relates to an application or action for a grant of administration under the Administration Act 1969 or to a proceeding for the recall of any such grant (rule 3.7(2) of the High Court Rules)— for each file searched or inspected 40.89 |
| | On payment of the fee under this item in respect of any file, no fee is payable for obtaining a copy of any document on that file or for searching or inspecting the formal court record. |
| 21 | Requesting access to a document under rule 3.9(4) of the High Court Rules or applying, under rule 3.13 of the High Court Rules, for permission to access documents, a court file, or the formal court record, but no fee is payable if a fee has been paid under item 19 in respect of the same matter 25.56 |
| 22 | Appointing a Commissioner to take affidavits 320.20 |

Schedule item 6: amended, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 6(a) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Schedule item 6: amended, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 6(b) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Schedule item 6(b): amended, on 4 February 2013, by regulation 6(b) of the High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408).

Marie Shroff,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

High Court Fees Regulations 2013

(SR 2013/226)

Jerry Mateparae, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 20th day of May 2013

Present:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council

Pursuant to section 18(4) of the Administration Act 1969, section 11(4) of the Admiralty Act 1973, section 100A of the Judicature Act 1908, sections 57 and 339(g) of the Lawyers and Conveyancers Act 2006, sections 67(2)(b) and 70(2) of the Local Government (Rating) Act 2002, section 52 of the Māori Trustee Act 1953, section 363(d) of the Property Law Act 2007, section 147 of the Public Trust Act 2001, and section 41 of the Trustee Companies Act 1967, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting—

- (a) on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council; and
- (b) to the extent that these regulations prescribe the fees referred to in section 12BA of the Māori Trustee Act 1953, on the recommendation of the Minister of Māori Affairs,—

makes the following regulations.

Regulations

1 Title

These regulations are the High Court Fees Regulations 2013.

2 Commencement

- (1) Except as provided in subclause (2), these regulations come into force on 1 July 2013.

- (2) Item 29 in the fees table, which relates to filing an application for an order protecting a secured party's interests, comes into force on the later of—
- (a) 1 July 2013; and
 - (b) the date appointed under section 2(2) of the District Courts Amendment Act 2011 for the coming into force of section 33 of that Act.

Consequential and transitional matters

29 Transitional provision

- (1) In respect of a proceeding commenced before 1 July 2013,—
- (a) an enactment revoked by regulations 25 to 28 continues to apply in respect of any step taken before 1 July 2013; and
 - (b) these regulations apply in respect of any step taken on or after that date.
- (2) However, in respect of a hearing described in subclause (3),—
- (a) regulations 9 to 14 of these regulations and items 17 to 20 of the fees table do not apply; and
 - (b) regulations 11, 11A, and 12 and items 6 to 9 of the Schedule of the High Court Fees Regulations 2001 continue to apply.
- (3) Subclause (2) applies to a hearing if the Registrar notifies the parties of the scheduled hearing date before 1 July 2013.

Rebecca Kitteridge,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Date of notification in *Gazette*: 23 May 2013.

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Notes**1 General**

This is a reprint of the High Court Fees Regulations 2001. The reprint incorporates all the amendments to the regulations as at 1 July 2013, as specified in the list of amendments at the end of these notes.

Relevant provisions of any amending enactments that contain transitional, savings, or application provisions that cannot be compiled in the reprint are also included, after the principal enactment, in chronological order. For more information, see <http://www.pco.parliament.govt.nz/reprints/>.

2 Status of reprints

Under section 16D of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989, reprints are presumed to correctly state, as at the date of the reprint, the law enacted by the principal enactment and by the amendments to that enactment. This presumption applies even though editorial changes authorised by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 have been made in the reprint.

This presumption may be rebutted by producing the official volumes of statutes or statutory regulations in which the principal enactment and its amendments are contained.

3 How reprints are prepared

A number of editorial conventions are followed in the preparation of reprints. For example, the enacting words are not included in Acts, and provisions that are repealed or revoked

are omitted. For a detailed list of the editorial conventions, see <http://www.pco.parliament.govt.nz/editorial-conventions/> or Part 8 of the *Tables of New Zealand Acts and Ordinances and Statutory Regulations and Deemed Regulations in Force*.

4 Changes made under section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989

Section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 authorises the making of editorial changes in a reprint as set out in sections 17D and 17E of that Act so that, to the extent permitted, the format and style of the reprinted enactment is consistent with current legislative drafting practice. Changes that would alter the effect of the legislation are not permitted. A new format of legislation was introduced on 1 January 2000. Changes to legislative drafting style have also been made since 1997, and are ongoing. To the extent permitted by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989, all legislation reprinted after 1 January 2000 is in the new format for legislation and reflects current drafting practice at the time of the reprint.

In outline, the editorial changes made in reprints under the authority of section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 are set out below, and they have been applied, where relevant, in the preparation of this reprint:

- omission of unnecessary referential words (such as “of this section” and “of this Act”)
- typeface and type size (Times Roman, generally in 11.5 point)
- layout of provisions, including:
 - indentation
 - position of section headings (eg, the number and heading now appear above the section)
- format of definitions (eg, the defined term now appears in bold type, without quotation marks)
- format of dates (eg, a date formerly expressed as “the 1st day of January 1999” is now expressed as “1 January 1999”)

- position of the date of assent (it now appears on the front page of each Act)
- punctuation (eg, colons are not used after definitions)
- Parts numbered with roman numerals are replaced with arabic numerals, and all cross-references are changed accordingly
- case and appearance of letters and words, including:
 - format of headings (eg, headings where each word formerly appeared with an initial capital letter followed by small capital letters are amended so that the heading appears in bold, with only the first word (and any proper nouns) appearing with an initial capital letter)
 - small capital letters in section and subsection references are now capital letters
- schedules are renumbered (eg, Schedule 1 replaces First Schedule), and all cross-references are changed accordingly
- running heads (the information that appears at the top of each page)
- format of two-column schedules of consequential amendments, and schedules of repeals (eg, they are rearranged into alphabetical order, rather than chronological).

5 *List of amendments incorporated in this reprint (most recent first)*

High Court Fees Regulations 2013 (SR 2013/226): regulation 28(c)
High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2012 (SR 2012/408)
High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2011 (SR 2011/163)
High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2009 (SR 2009/321)
High Court Fees (Criminal Proceeds (Recovery) Act 2009) Amendment Regulations 2009 (SR 2009/314)
High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2007 (SR 2007/207)
New Zealand Superannuation and Retirement Income Amendment Act 2005 (2005 No 42): section 9(2)
High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2004 (SR 2004/166)
High Court Fees Amendment Regulations 2003 (SR 2003/292)

State Sector Amendment Act 2003 (2003 No 41): section 14(2)
