



Crown Minerals (Petroleum Fees) Amendment Regulations 2025

Cindy Kiro, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 25th day of August 2025

Present:

The Right Hon Christopher Luxon presiding in Council

These regulations are made under section 105(1) of the Crown Minerals Act 1991 on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council.

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Regulations

1 Title

These regulations are the Crown Minerals (Petroleum Fees) Amendment Regulations 2025.

2 Commencement

These regulations come into force on 25 September 2025.

3 Principal regulations

These regulations amend the Crown Minerals (Petroleum Fees) Regulations 2016.

4 Schedule 2 amended

In Schedule 2, item relating to an application under section 41, 41AC, 41A, 41B, or 41C of the Crown Minerals Act 1991, replace the item in the first column with:

Application under section 41, 41AC, 41B, or 41C of the Act, or notification under section 41AG or 41A of the Act

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 25 September 2025, amend the Crown Minerals (Petroleum Fees) Regulations 2016 (the **principal regulations**). They amend Schedule 2 of the principal regulations to reflect amendments to the Crown Minerals Act 1991 (the **Act**) made by the Crown Minerals Amendment Act 2025. In particular, the regulations reflect a new section 41AG (notification of change of control: certain permit participants) of the Act and clarify that fees relating to section 41A of the Act are for the required notification to the Minister, not an application.

Issued under the authority of the Legislation Act 2019.

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These regulations are administered by the Ministry of Business, Innovation, and Employment.