

House of Representatives

Supplementary Order Paper

Wednesday, 19 August 2015

Health and Safety Reform Bill

Proposed motion to divide Bill into 5 Bills

Hon Michael Woodhouse, in Committee, to move as follows:

That the enacting words, *clauses 1 and 2, Parts 1 to 5, and Schedules 1 to 3* be a separate Bill, and that the enacting words and *clauses 1 and 2* be replaced with:

The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

This Act is the Health and Safety at Work Act **2015**.

2 Commencement

- (1) **Subpart 3 of Part 5** comes into force on the day after the date on which this Act receives the Royal assent.
- (2) The rest of this Act comes into force on **4 April 2016**.

That *subpart 1 of Part 6 and Schedule 4* be a separate Bill, and that the *Part 6 heading* and the *subpart 1 heading in Part 6* be replaced with:

The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

This Act is the Accident Compensation Amendment Act **2015**.

2 Commencement

- (1) This Act comes into force on a date appointed by the Governor-General by Order in Council, and 1 or more Orders in Council may be made bringing different provisions into force on different dates and appointing different dates for different purposes.
- (2) Any provision that has not earlier been brought into force comes into force on **1 January 2018**.

That *subpart 2 of Part 6* and *Schedules 5 to 7* be a separate Bill, and that the *subpart 2 heading in Part 6* be replaced with:

The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

This Act is the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act **2015**.

2 Commencement

- (1) **Sections 253(5), (6), (8), and (9), 258, 258A(4), 262, 263, 265, 283, 283A, 286(1AB), 290, and 291** come into force on the day after the date on which this Act receives the Royal assent.
- (2) The following provisions also come into force on the day after the date on which this Act receives the Royal assent:
 - (a) **section 253(1)**, but only as it relates to the definition of EPA notice:
 - (b) **section 273**, but only as it relates to **sections 76A(d), (f), (g), and (h), 76AA, 76B, and 76C** of the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996:
 - (c) **sections 255 and 292**, but only as they relate to **clause 7 of Schedule 7** of the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996 (which clause is set out in **Schedule 5**):
 - (d) **section 293**, but only as it relates to the items about sections 63B and 141 to 141I of the Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996 (which items are set out in **Schedule 6**).
- (3) The rest of this Act comes into force on a date appointed by the Governor-General by Order in Council, and 1 or more Orders in Council may be made bringing different provisions into force on different dates and appointing different dates for different purposes.
- (4) Any provision that has not earlier been brought into force comes into force on **1 January 2018**.

That *subpart 3 of Part 6* be a separate Bill, and that the *subpart 3 heading in Part 6* be replaced with:

The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

This Act is the Employment Relations Amendment Act **2015**.

2 Commencement

- (1) This Act comes into force on a date appointed by the Governor-General by Order in Council, and 1 or more Orders in Council may

be made bringing different provisions into force on different dates and appointing different dates for different purposes.

- (2) Any provision that has not earlier been brought into force comes into force on **1 January 2018**.

That *subpart 4 of Part 6* and *Schedule 8* be a separate Bill, and that the *subpart 4 heading in Part 6* be replaced with:

The Parliament of New Zealand enacts as follows:

1 Title

This Act is the WorkSafe New Zealand Amendment Act **2015**.

2 Commencement

- (1) This Act comes into force on a date appointed by the Governor-General by Order in Council, and 1 or more Orders in Council may be made bringing different provisions into force on different dates and appointing different dates for different purposes.
- (2) Any provision that has not earlier been brought into force comes into force on **1 January 2018**.

Explanatory note

This Supplementary Order Paper divides the Health and Safety Reform Bill into the following 5 Bills:

- Health and Safety at Work Bill:
- Accident Compensation Amendment Bill:
- Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Bill:
- Employment Relations Amendment Bill (No 2):
- WorkSafe New Zealand Amendment Bill.