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## Regulations under the First Home Owner Grant Act

#### 1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *First Home Owner Grant Regulations*.

## 2 Commencement

These Regulations come into operation 1 July 2000.

## 3 Non-conforming interests that are relevant interests

- (1) In pursuance of section 5(4) of the Act, where:
  - (a) a person:
    - (i) who has entered into a comprehensive home building contract on land used solely or principally for farming purposes; or
    - (ii) who has not entered into a comprehensive home building contract begins building a home, or having a home built, on land used solely or principally for farming purposes; and
  - (b) the owner of the land has given permission for the person to occupy the home when it is completed,

the first-mentioned person has a relevant interest in the land.

- (2) In pursuance of section 5(4) of the Act, where:
  - (a) a person:
    - (i) who has entered into a comprehensive home building contract on land owned by a relative of the person, other than land used solely or principally for farming purposes; or

- (ii) who has not entered into a comprehensive home building contract begins building a home, or having a home built, on land owned by a relative of the person, other than land used solely or principally for farming purposes; and
- (b) the relative of the person has given permission for the person to occupy the home when it is completed,

the first-mentioned person has a relevant interest in the land.

## (3) In this regulation:

**child**, in relation to a person, includes an adopted child of the person and a stepchild of the person.

farming purposes, see section 4(1) of the Stamp Duty Act.

*relative*, in relation to a person, means:

- (a) a spouse or de facto partner of the person;
- (b) the parents of the person or the parents of a spouse or de facto partner of the person;
- (c) the grandparents of the person or the grandparents of a spouse or de facto partner of the person;
- (d) a sibling of the person or of a spouse or de facto partner of the person;
- (e) a child of the person;
- (f) a child of a child of the person; or
- (g) a spouse or de facto partner of a person referred to in paragraph (d), (e) or (f).

## 4 Persons who are not interested persons

The following persons are excluded from the application of section 15 of the Act:

- (a) the body corporate sole known as the Chief Executive Officer (Housing) and established by section 6 of the *Housing Act*;
- (b) the owner of land in which a person has a relevant interest by virtue of regulation 3(1) or (2).

#### **ENDNOTES**

## 1 KEY

Key to abbreviations

amd = amendedod = orderapp = appendixom = omittedbl = by-lawpt = Part

ch = Chapter r = regulation/rule
cl = clause rem = remainder
div = Division renum = renumbered

exp = expires/expiredrep = repealedf = formss = sectionGaz = Gazettesch = Schedulehdg = headingsdiv = Subdivision

ins = inserted SL = Subordinate Legislation

It = long title sub = substituted

nc = not commenced

#### 2 LIST OF LEGISLATION

### First Home Owner Grant Regulations (SL No. 33, 2000)

Notified 30 June 2000 Commenced 1 July 2000 (r 2)

#### Amendment of First Home Owner Grant Regulations (SL No. 37, 2002)

Notified 9 October 2002 Commenced 9 October 2002

## Law Reform (Gender, Sexuality and De Facto Relationships) Act 2003 (Act No. 1, 2004)

Assent date 7 January 2004

Commenced 17 March 2004 (*Gaz* G11, 17 March 2004, p 8)

## 3 LIST OF AMENDMENTS

r 3 amd No. 37, 2002; Act No. 1, 2004, s 63; Act No. 25, 2007, s 11

r 5 rep Act No. 25, 2007, s 11