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List of documents that have been proactively released

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24 August 2023	<i>Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainlayers (Self-Contained Vehicles) Regulations 2023</i> LEG-23-MIN-0160 Minute	Cabinet Office

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Cabinet Legislation Committee

Minute of Decision

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On 24 August 2023, the Cabinet Legislation Committee:

- 1 **noted** that in November 2022, the Cabinet Economic Development Committee agreed to a series of regulatory policy proposals for freedom camping legislation, and took decisions to establish some of the detail required for the self-contained vehicle certification regulatory system [DEV-22-MIN-0265];
- 2 **noted** that the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainlayers (Self-Contained Vehicles) Regulations 2023 (the regulations) give effect to the decision referred to in paragraph 1 above;
- 3 **authorised** the submission to the Executive Council of the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainlayers (Self-Contained Vehicles) Regulations 2023 [PCO 25336/4.0];
- 4 **noted** that the regulations come into force on 6 December 2023;
- 5 **noted** that section 172C(1) of the Plumbers, Gasfitters and Drainlayers Act 2006 (the Act) requires that the responsible Minister consult with people the Minister considers are likely to be significantly affected by the regulations or their representatives, and be satisfied that the regulations facilitate the management of adverse effects of freedom camping on the natural environment before recommending the making of regulations under section 172(1A);
- 6 **noted** that section 172C(2) of the Act requires the responsible Minister to consult with people the Minister considers are likely to be significantly affected by the regulations or their representatives before recommending regulations be made under section 172A(1) or 172B(2);
- 7 **noted** that clause 2 of Schedule 3 of the Self-contained Motor Vehicles Legislation Act 2023 provides that consultation carried out by the responsible Minister before the commencement date about proposed regulations to be made under section 172(1A), 172A(1) or 172B(2) of that Act is treated as consultation for the purpose of section 172C(1)(a) and (2);
- 8 **noted** the advice of the Minister of Tourism that the requirement under 172C(1)(b) of the Act, under which he must be satisfied that the regulations facilitate the management of the adverse effects of freedom camping on the natural environment, has been met.

Rebecca Davies
Committee Secretary

Present:

Hon Grant Robertson (Chair)
Hon Damien O'Connor
Hon Andrew Little
Hon David Parker
Hon Barbara Edmonds
Hon Rachel Brooking
Hon Jo Luxton

Officials present from:

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