

RESOLUTIONS OF NATIONAL MEETINGS 2003–2009

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2.15 CIVIC AFFAIRS, VARIOUS

2.15.8 That NCW deplores all forms of racism. 2004

CHAPTER 4 – ECONOMICS

4.4 INSURANCE

4.4.1 Accident Compensation

4.4.1.5 That NCWNZ supports flexibility of access by victims of sexual violence to fully subsidised counselling and therapy by registered practitioners. 2005

4.5 PRIVATE PROPERTY

4.5.4 That NCWNZ request the government to review existing legislation in order to prohibit any further sale of land into foreign ownership. 2003

4.7 TAXATION

4.7.4 Sales Tax and Tariffs

4.7.4.2 That NCWNZ urges Government to legislate for local authority rates to be zero-rated for Goods and Services Tax (GST). 2005

4.7.6 Taxation, Miscellaneous

4.7.6.5 That NCWNZ, recognising the impacts of increasing numbers of international tourists, request the government to investigate the introduction of a tourism tax. 2003

CHAPTER 5 – EDUCATION

5.2 CONTINUING EDUCATION

5.2.2 That NCWNZ recognises the value of adult community education as a social, personal and economic good. 2005

5.2.3 That NCWNZ urges the Government to reinstate full funding to all Adult & Community Education programmes. 2009

5.5 FUNDING

5.5.11 That NCWNZ urge the government, when determining schools' operations grants, to recognise and take account of:

1. the high cost to parents/caregivers of schooling, especially at secondary level;
2. the children who are excluded from participation because of non-payment of fees and/or donations by parents/caregivers
3. the equity issues created by the decile-related funding system. 2003

- 5.5.12 That NCWNZ supports the provision of on-going free education of 16 – 19 year old New Zealand students according to the Education Act 1989, not just in state secondary schools, but also in approved tertiary institutions, in apprenticeships or in other approved forms of training. 2008

5.16 EDUCATION, VARIOUS

- 5.16.4 That NCWNZ urge the Government, before proceeding with further closures and mergers of schools, to:
1. research and evaluate the pre-2004 closures and mergers, taking account of review and consultation procedures, educational outcomes, and family and community satisfaction with the arrangements made for the provision of schooling for children in their area;
 2. put processes and procedures in place that enable full, transparent, and harmonious consultation with parents, teachers and the wider community. 2004

add to the See also: 15.5.12

CHAPTER 6 – EMPLOYMENT

6.1 EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN

- 6.1.17 That NCWNZ support the implementation of regulations protecting children from work that threatens their health, education or well-being. 2004

6.4 PARENTAL LEAVE

- 6.4.4 That NCWNZ supports the extension of paid parental leave to 12 months. 2007

6.8 WORKING HOURS

- 6.8.5 That NCWNZ supports the implementation of work-life balance policies. 2005

CHAPTER 7 – ENVIRONMENT

7.8 POLLUTION

7.8.2 Other Pollutants

- 7.8.2.3 That NCWNZ urge the government to ensure
- a) the availability of clean motor vehicle fuels for use in New Zealand, and
 - b) that the warrant of fitness procedure includes testing of emissions to a standard to be determined by government taking into account the best of international standards. 2003

7.14 WATER

- 7.14.5 That NCWNZ requests that territorial authorities and water supply agencies publish, at least annually, the standard of local water supplies. 2005

CHAPTER 8 - HABITAT

8.12 SPECIAL NEEDS ACCOMMODATION

add 12.2.3.6

CHAPTER 9 – HEALTH

9.1 ABORTION

add to the See also: 9.11.22

9.2 BIOTECHNOLOGY AND ASSISTED HUMAN REPRODUCTION

- 9.2.6 That NCWNZ lobby Government to backdate to January 2000 funding for a second cycle of In Vitro Fertilisation (IVF) treatment. 2005

9.8 HEALTH SERVICES

9.8.1 Community Care

9.8.1.9 That NCWNZ urges the Government to fund the total cost of the three core health services provided by Hospices, those services being Assessment and Co-ordination, Clinical care, and Support Care. 2006

9.8.2 Domiciliary services

9.8.2.7 That NCWNZ request the Government to include the costs of travel in the remuneration for government contracted providers of home-based care. 2004

9.9 MATERNITY SERVICES

9.9.34 That NCWNZ supports women's rights to breastfeed in all places. 2006

9.10 MEDICAL RESEARCH

add to the See also: 9.11.22

9.11 MENTAL HEALTH

9.11.22 That NCWNZ urges further research into the mental health outcomes for women experiencing pregnancies, both planned and unplanned and also during the post-natal phase. 2008 [added to 'see also' at end of 9.1 and 9.10]

9.16 VARIOUS HEALTH

9.16.7 That NCWNZ urge the government to remove all impediments to obtaining information necessary to audit publicly funded health programmes. 2003

CHAPTER 10 – HOME ECONOMICS AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS

10.9 SHOP TRADING HOURS

10.9.4 That NCWNZ support the provisions in the Shop Trading Hours Act Repeal Act 1990 which prohibit normal retailing on Christmas Day, Good Friday, Easter Sunday, and ANZAC Day morning. 2003

CHAPTER 11 – INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND PEACE

11.3 HUMAN RIGHTS

11.3.4 That NCWNZ urges the government to repeal the Foreshore and Seabed Act (and other legislation amended thereby) and to develop instead a way forward that meets New Zealand's domestic and international human rights obligations. 2006

11.7 MANUFACTURE OF AND TRAFFICKING IN ARMS

11.7.8 That NCWNZ supports the development of a global treaty to ban cluster munitions. 2007

11.8 NUCLEAR ARMAMENTS

11.8.21 That NCWNZ:

1. affirm its commitment to achieving total world nuclear disarmament, and
2. urge the government to continue its leadership role at the United Nations by
 - a) calling for the elimination of all weapons of mass destruction and
 - b) sponsoring a UN resolution calling for a Nuclear Weapons Convention. 2003

11.8.22 That NCWNZ affirm its support for the New Zealand Nuclear Free Zone, Disarmament and Arms Control Act 1987 and condemn any alteration that may weaken or change the intent of the Act. 2004

11.9 OVERSEAS AID

11.9.15 That NCWNZ support the level of New Zealand government overseas development aid being raised to the United Nations target of 0.7% of Gross National Income by the year 2015. 2004

11.10 PEACE

11.10.17 That NCWNZ endorses initiatives by women to negotiate for the peaceful resolution, at both local and global levels, of long-standing conflicts in their regions. 2006

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12.2.3 Domestic Violence

12.2.3.6 That NCWNZ encourages the establishment of accessible emergency housing for people with disabilities who are experiencing abuse. 2007

12.2.3.7 That NCWNZ requests the Government take urgent action to improve the implementation of the legislation relating to protection orders for those affected by domestic violence. 2008

12.3 CRIMINAL SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR

12.3.4 Prostitution

12.3.4.5 That NCWNZ does not condone prostitution or the purchase of sexual services. 2004

12.5 JURIES

12.5.5 That NCWNZ requests that the Minister of Justice increase the basic allowance paid to jurors. 2009

12.10 TREATMENT OF OFFENDERS

12.10.2 Prison Education and Training

12.10.2.6 That NCWNZ requests that the government ensures that all prisoners identified with specific learning needs have individual educational programmes, which accompany that person, should they be moved to another institution. 2006

12.10.4 Sex Offenders

12.10.4.7 That NCWNZ supports research into the process of reporting and investigating sexual violence complaints. 2007

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13.11 VIOLENCE IN THE MEDIA

13.11.2 That NCWNZ opposes the sexualisation of children through production, marketing and retailing of children's products. 2007

CHAPTER 15 - ROAD SAFETY

15.5 ROAD SAFETY, VARIOUS

15.5.12 That NCWNZ requests that all school buses, while conveying children to and from school display distinctive and active signage, including the maximum speed at which a vehicle may pass a stationary school bus. 2009

CHAPTER 16 – SOCIAL WELFARE

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16.3.8 Retirement

16.3.8.9 That NCWNZ supports the principle that any national superannuitant with a partner in residential care be eligible for national superannuation at the single person rate. 2005

16.3.8.10 That NCWNZ calls on the Guardians of the NZ Superannuation Fund to develop and implement robust ethical investment standards. 2008

16.3.9 Unemployment

16.3.9.5 That NCWNZ requests the Government to assess all people as individuals when they apply for an unemployment, sickness or invalids benefit, irrespective of their marital or family status. 2009

16.4 CARE OF THE AGED

16.4.1 Accommodation

16.4.1.8 That NCWNZ urges the Government to:

- a) provide a significant increase in funding to Residential Homes and Hospitals for the care of older persons, to enable sustainable service provision and for the total funding to be adjusted annually, in line with the Consumer Price Index.
- b) ensure that organisations that are responsible for the supply of public money to Residential Homes and Hospitals for the care of the older persons apply that money for that designated purpose. 2006

CHAPTER 17 – SPECIAL NEEDS

17.3 GENERAL DISABILITIES

17.3.8 That NCWNZ requests the Government to monitor the effect of repealing the Disabled Persons Employment Promotion Act 1960 to ensure that disabled people attending sheltered workshops both now and in the future are not disadvantaged in any way by this legislative change. 2005

CHAPTER 18 – THE STATUS OF WOMEN

18.10 STATUS OF WOMEN, VARIOUS

18.10.3 That NCWNZ recommends that Government applies a robust model of gender analysis for all policy development. 2008

CHAPTER 19 – SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND OTHER ADDICTIONS

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