



# Cabinet Legislation Committee

## Minute of Decision

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### Health (Immunisation) Regulations Revocation Order 2025

Portfolio                      Health

On 4 December 2025, the Cabinet Legislation Committee:

- 1        **noted** that in March 2025, the Cabinet Expenditure and Regulatory Review Committee agreed to revoke the Health (Immunisation) Regulations 1995 [EXP-25-MIN-0015];
- 2        **noted** that the revocation of the Health (Immunisation) Regulations applies to both primary schools and early childhood education;
- 3        **noted** that Health New Zealand and the Ministry of Education have a data sharing agreement for immunisation information during an outbreak response, and are continuing to streamline processes with the aim of reducing timeframes;
- 4        **noted** that the Health (Immunisation) Regulations Revocation Order will give effect to the decision referred to in paragraph 1 above;
- 5        **authorised** the submission to the Executive Council of the Health (Immunisation) Regulations Revocation Order 2025 [PCO 28479/16.0];
- 6        **noted** that the Health (Immunisation) Regulations Revocation Order will come into force on 8 January 2026.

Tom Kelly  
Committee Secretary

**Present:**

Hon David Seymour  
Hon Chris Bishop (Chair)  
Hon Paul Goldsmith  
Hon Shane Jones  
Hon Nicole McKee  
Hon Casey Costello  
Hon James Meager  
Stuart Smith, MP

**Officials present from:**

Officials Committee for LEG  
Office of the Associate Minister of Justice (Hon Nicole McKee)