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<b>Minister</b>	Hon Chris Penk	<b>Portfolio</b>	Building and Construction
<b>Title of Cabinet paper</b>	Building (Product Certification) Amendment Regulations 2025	<b>Date to be published</b>	15 September 2025

### List of documents that have been proactively released

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July 2025	Cabinet paper Building (Product Certification) Amendment Regulations 2025	Minister for Building and Construction
31 July 2025	Building (Product Certification) Amendment Regulations 2025 Minute of Decision LEG-25-MIN-0149 Minute	Cabinet Office

### Information redacted

**NO**

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# Cabinet Legislation Committee

## Minute of Decision

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### Building (Product Certification) Amendment Regulations 2025

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On 31 July 2025, the Cabinet Legislation Committee:

- 1        **noted** that in June 2025, the Cabinet Economic Policy Committee agreed to:
  - 1.1      a Commencement Order to bring the provisions in section 2(2) of the Building (Overseas Building Products, Standards, and Certification Schemes) Amendment Act 2025 (the Building Amendment Act) into force;
  - 1.2      criteria to be set in regulations for notices made under sections 272HA and 272HB of the Building Amendment Act;

[ECO-25-MIN-0085]
- 2        **noted** that the following Orders will give effect to the decisions above:
  - 2.1      the Building (Overseas Building Products, Standards, and Certification Schemes) Amendment Act 2025 Commencement Order 2025 [PCO 28116/6.0];
  - 2.2      the Building (Product Certification) Amendment Regulations 2025 [PCO 28115/9.0];
- 3        **authorised** the submission to the Executive Council of the Orders in paragraph 2 above;
- 4        **noted** that a waiver of the 28-day rule is sought:
  - 4.1      so that the Orders can come into force as soon as possible;
  - 4.2      on the grounds that the proposed secondary legislation has little or no effect on the public;
- 5        **agreed** to waive the 28-day rule so that the Orders can come into force on 8 August 2025.

Tom Kelly  
Committee Secretary

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**Attendance: (See over)**

**Present:**

Hon David Seymour  
Rt Hon Winston Peters  
Hon Chris Bishop (Chair)  
Hon Paul Goldsmith  
Hon Louise Upston  
Hon Brooke van Velden  
Hon Tama Potaka  
Hon Simon Watts  
Hon Nicole McKee  
Hon Chris Penk  
Stuart Smith, MP  
Todd Stephenson, MP  
Jamie Arbuckle, MP

**Officials present from:**

Officials Committee for LEG  
Office of the Leader of the House