

A DECADE OF GREATNESS A FUTURE OF PLENTY

LABOURS PLAN FOR Transmit

The New Zealand Labour Government which has abolished paverty from our land, given economic security to all, and established full employment now seeks a fresh mandate that it may safeguard these achievements. On the foundations already laid down, Labour will effect even higher living standards and still greater humanitarian and social progress.

CURRENCY, CREDIT AND FINANCE

Control of Credit and Currency for the economic welfare of the Nation. Progressive reduction of Taxation.

HOUSING

In the next 5 years 60,000 houses to be built, the majority by private owners with provision for generous financial assistance.

REHABILITATION

Every aid to complete re-establishment for all who served. Training and educational facilities for all who desire it.

SOCIAL SECURITY AND HEALTH

Post primary dental service. Ambulance Benefits. More facilities for pre-natal treatment. Extension of Home Aid Scheme.

STABILISATION

The advantages of successful stabilisation to be maintained.

MAORI AFFAIRS

Continual improvement in economic, housing and social conditions.

EDUCATION

Vigorous school building programme. Reduction of classes to 30 children per teacher.

LAND DEVELOPMENT

Development of marginal lands and extension of irrigation to make 500,000 acres available for settlement. Finance to be made available for young farmers.

AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

Increased production over the next 5 years. Additional facilities for farmers with transport, building, fertilisers and research.

DAIRY INDUSTRY MARKETING POLICY

Guaranteed Price to be determined by independent tribunal, with industry representation. Industry representatives to participate in dairy products marketing.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Manufacturing industries to be encouraged.

WORKS AND ELECTRICITY

North Island Power Supply will be trebled. Large expansion of South Island supply. Increased railway services and facilities.

LABOUR LEGISLATION

Overhaul of compensation laws, Improved factory conditions. Consolidation of labour laws, Full employment for all.

FORESTRY

Sufficient timber for all Housing and Construction requirements. Increased utilisation of forest resources and timber by-products.

MINING

New machinery for more complete and efficient mining. Better conditions and housing to attract manpower.

TRANSPORT

Co-ordinated road, railway, air and sea transport. Cheap travel for all.

BROADCASTING

Modernisation of existing stations and construction of over 20 new stations.

