Extending Period within which the Commission appointed to Inquire into and Report upon Gaming and Racing Matters in New Zealand shall report

GEORGE THE SIXTH by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith:

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved the Honourable Mr. Justice George Panton Finlay, of Auckland, a Judge of the Supreme Court; William Henry Freeman, Esquire, of Hamilton, Stipendiary Magistrate; and Joseph William Allan Heenan, Esquire, C.B.E., of Wellington, Under-Secretary for Internal Affairs: Greeting.

Whereas by Our Warrant dated the twenty-second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and forty-six, you, the said

George Panton Finlay, William Henry Freeman, and Joseph William Allan Heenan

were appointed under the authority of the Letters Patent of His late Majesty dated the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and under the authority of the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1908, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, to be a Commission of Inquiry for the purposes in the said Warrant duly set out:

And whereas by Our said Warrant you were required to report not later than the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-six, your findings and opinions on the matters referred to you:

And whereas by Our further Warrant dated the twenty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-six, the time within which you were so required to report was extended until the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven:

And whereas it is expedient that the time for so reporting should be further extended as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, We do hereby extend until the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven, the time within which you are so required to report:

And We do hereby confirm the said Commission and the two respective Warrants hereinbefore referred to except as altered by these presents.