

New Zealand

Employers Handbook

Concise, practical guide to all areas of employment law

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- Kiwi Saver Act 2006
- Holidays Act 2003
- Holidays Amendment Act 2010
- Accident Compensation Act 2010
- Superannuation Schemes Act 1989
- Employment Relations Act 2000
- Employment Relations Amendment Act 2010



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- Employment agreements and contracts
- Promotion, demotion and discipline
- Rights and obligations of employers
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