

Fairness at Work for Women

Worth Voting For!

Improved paid parental leave (PPL)

Labour/Greens will extend the length of paid parental leave and increase entitlements to paid parental leave.

National has made no changes to PPL in 3 years and in opposition voted against the introduction and extension of PPL legislation.

Raising the minimum wage towards 2/3rd of the average wage

Labour/Greens will increase the minimum wage to \$15 an hour immediately.

National increased the minimum wage by only 25 cents an hour in 2010 and 2011.

Ensuring equal pay for work of equal value

Labour/Greens will legislate for pay and employment equity to close the gender pay gap.

National disestablished the pay and employment equity unit and axed 2 pay investigations to close the pay gap.

A decent standard of living for children and families/whanau

Labour/Greens will make fruit and veggies affordable, institute a fairer tax system and put children's needs at the centre of policy.

National has raised GST to 15% and given \$2.5 billion a year in tax cuts to the top 10% of income earners.

Quality affordable early childhood education (ECE)

Labour/Greens will restore funding to early childhood education and reintroduce 100% qualified teacher targets.

National cut funding in early childhood education and has reduced the level of qualified staff in ECE centres.

Strong public services

Labour/Greens oppose the privatisation of public assets.

National has cut more than 2,500 jobs in the core state sector and will privatise state assets.

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