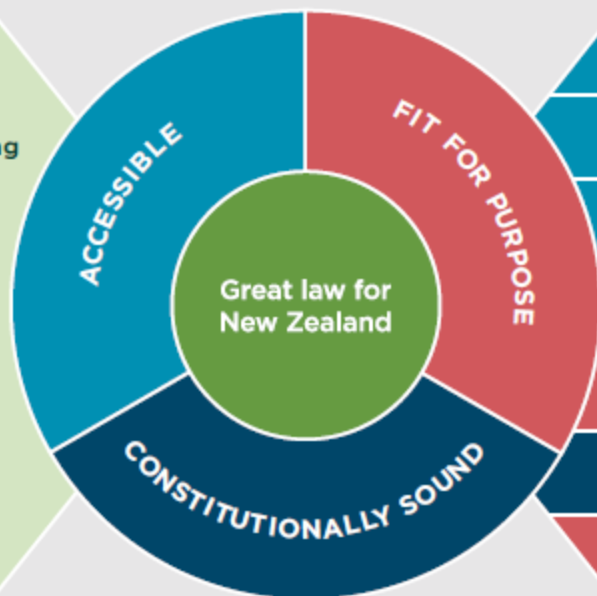


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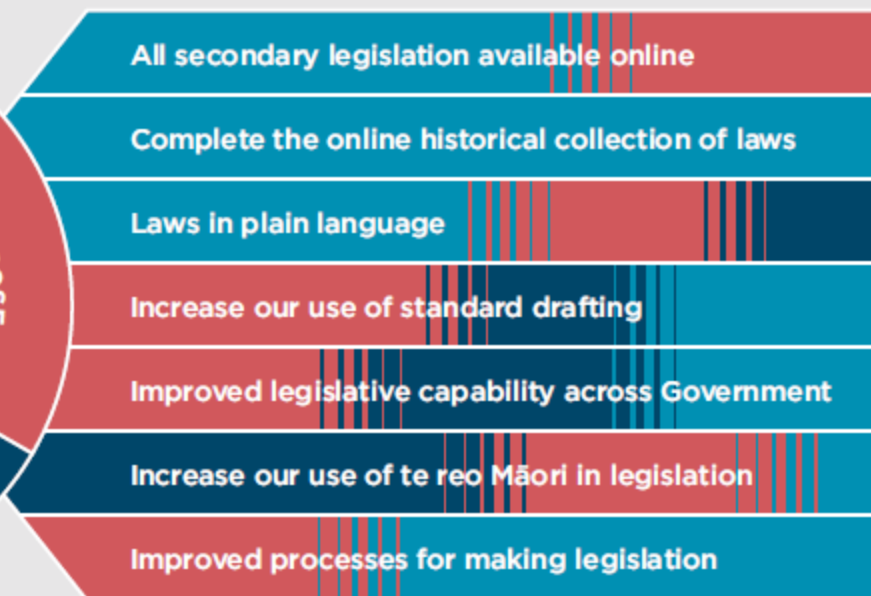
WHAT WE DO:

We work with others to make legislation that is fit for purpose, constitutionally sound, and accessible to all users

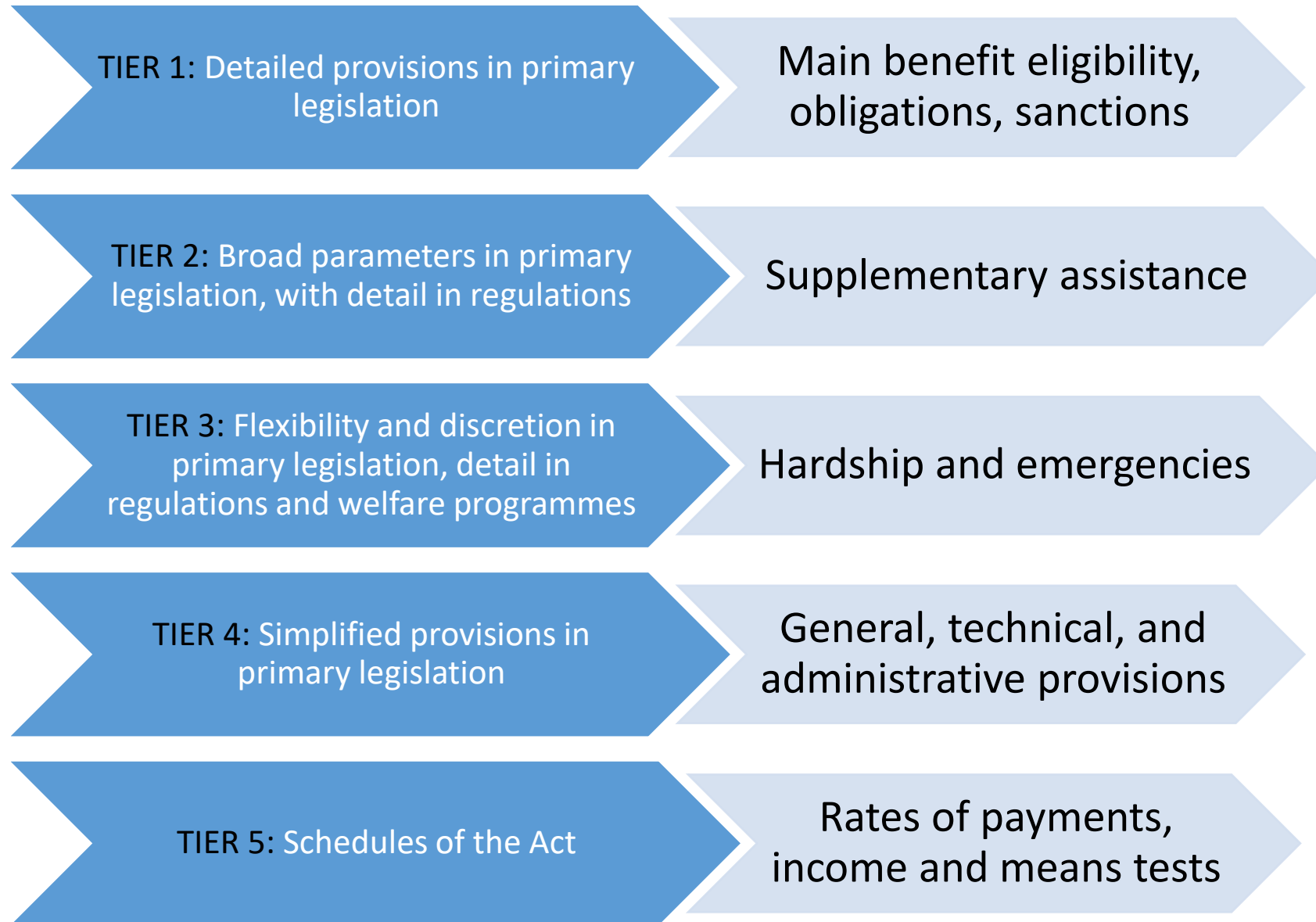
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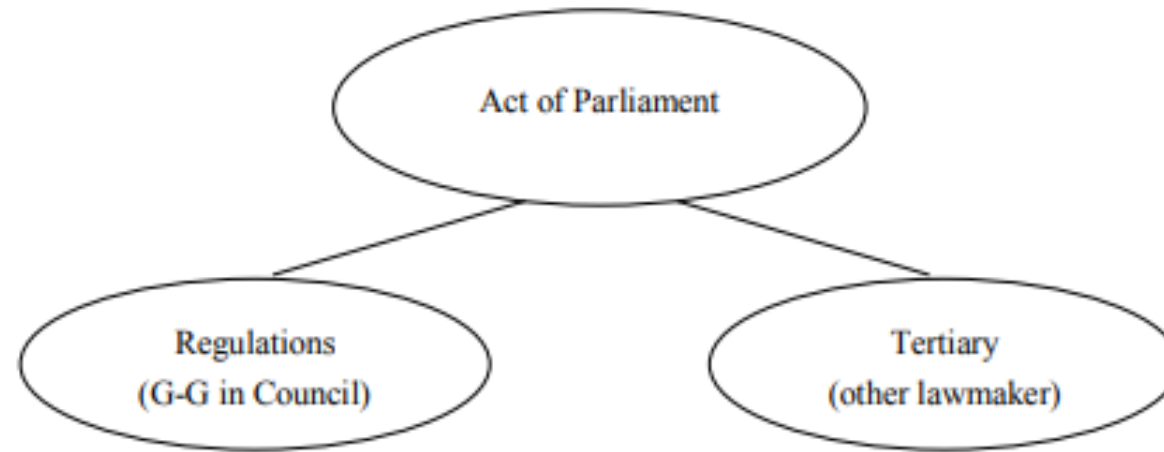


INITIATIVES:



Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 (which replaced all or part of 6 former Acts) = 497 pages	Income Tax Act 2007 = 3744 pages Tax Administration Act 1994 = 828 pages	Social Security Act 2018 = 465 pages
1 main set of regulations under it is longer again at 655 pages.	At least 21 sets of secondary legislation under those 2 Acts.	1 main set of regulations under it is half as long again at 233 pages.





Before Rewrite	After Rewrite	Under Legislation Act
1964 and 1990 Acts	2018 Social Security Act	Act / Primary legislation
24 sets of Regs	2018 Regs	Secondary legislation
Rates Orders	Rates Orders	Secondary legislation
Reciprocity Orders	Reciprocity Orders	Secondary legislation
Ministerial Directions	Ministerial Directions	Secondary legislation
Ministerial Notices	Ministerial Notices	Secondary legislation