

**Attention is drawn to the order
prohibiting publication of certain
information in this determination**

**IN THE EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS AUTHORITY
AUCKLAND**

AA 247/08
AEA 668/04

BETWEEN THE ESTATE OF MARY KAY
PARKES
Applicant

AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF THE
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL
DEVELOPMENT
Respondent

Member of Authority: Marija Urlich

Representatives: Lee Goffin, Counsel for Applicant
Samantha Turner and Kate Trethewey, Counsel for
Respondent

Determination: 14 July 2008

CONSENT DETERMINATION OF THE AUTHORITY

[1] The parties attended an Authority investigation meeting on 8 and 9 July 2008. In the course of the investigation meeting the parties discussed the issues between them and they have now agreed to settle this matter.

[2] The parties have requested the Authority make a determination that this matter has been resolved and that their settlement be incorporated into a consent order of the Authority. I do so.

[3] The parties have agreed that the terms of settlement will remain confidential to the parties. For the purpose of preserving that confidentiality, I make a further order,

pursuant to Clause 10(2) of the Second Schedule to the Act, prohibiting the publication of all the contents of settlement agreement.

Marija Urlich
Member, Employment Relations Authority