Facts about the Courts of NZ website

The Courts of New Zealand website went live on May 17. It contains information about New Zealand's Supreme Court, Court of Appeal and High Court.

Site statistics

- Site statistics to date indicate that the main users of the website are large law firms and legal organisations.
- 53.4 percent of visitors have added the site to their 'Favourites'.
- The most visited pages have been the daily court lists, and judgments.

Navigation

The Courts of New Zealand home page allows users to easily navigate to the information they require and is divided into three main sections **About Courts**, **Court Business** and **From the Courts.**

About Courts provides information about the role, history and structure of the courts. Court Business includes court sitting calendars and case summaries, and assists media and lawyers in using this information. From the Courts provides news from the Higher Courts, including decisions of public interest.

From the home page, visitors can also click on illustrations from each court to be taken directly to information about that court.

The bottom of the home page identifies material that may be of specific interest to media professionals, legal professionals and students.

The bottom of every page offers the user the ability to directly search for a particular item by clicking on the search function located at the bottom of the screen and entering their desired search phrase.