Appendix 6: Impact assessment matrix from New Zealand

List of identified potential impacts of proposed policy on health determinants and/or public health		Likelihood of impact occurring (low, med, high)	Severity or significance of potential impact (small/low, med, high)	Scope of potential impact (affects small or large number of people)	Expected time to take effect (short-, medium-, long-term)	Measurability of potential impact (qualitative, estimable, calculable)	Possible actions to enhance positive or diminish negative impacts
Positive	Negative						