

**EXTRAORDINARY
GOVERNMENT OF FIJI GAZETTE SUPPLEMENT**

No. 39

TUESDAY, 29th DECEMBER

2015

[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 102]

CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI
(Section 92(3))

MINISTERIAL ASSIGNMENT

To : Mr Aiyaz Sayed-Khaiyum
Attorney-General and Minister for Finance, Public Enterprises, Civil Service and Communications

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers vested in me as Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji under section 92(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Fiji, I appointed you as the Minister for Finance, Public Enterprises, Public Service, Communications, Trade, and Tourism with effect from 24 September 2014 and assigned to you the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, departments and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 44 of 2014;

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers vested in me as Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji under section 92(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Fiji, I appointed you as the Attorney-General and Minister for Finance, Public Enterprises, Public Service and Communications with effect from 4 October 2014 and assigned to you the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, departments and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 59 of 2014;

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers vested in me as Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji under section 92(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Fiji, I appointed you as the Attorney-General and Minister for Finance, Public Enterprises, Public Service and Communications with effect from 23 December 2014 and assigned to you the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, departments and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 74 of 2014;

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers vested in me as Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji under section 92(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Fiji, I appointed you as the Attorney-General and Minister for Finance, Public Enterprises, Public Service and Communications with effect from 11 May 2015 and assigned to you the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, departments and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 45 of 2015;

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested in me as Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji under section 92(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Fiji, I hereby revoke with effect from 1 January 2016, all assignments and responsibilities under Legal Notice No. 45 of 2015, and with effect from the same day assign to you in your capacity as the Attorney-General and Minister for Finance, Public Enterprises, Civil Service and Communications, the responsibility for the conduct of the following Government business, departments and written laws (subject to the provisions of any other written law)—

Business*(a) Office of the Attorney-General*

Cinematographic Films
 Civil Aviation
 Civil Litigation and Legal Advisory Services
 Parliament
 Copyright
 Disposal of Uncollected Goods
 Extradition
 Gaming
 Hotel and Guest House Licensing
 Law Reform
 Law Revision
 Legal Aid
 Legal Profession
 Legislative Drafting
 Liquor Licensing
 Patents
 Trade-Marks and Designs
 Human Rights and Anti-Discrimination
 Media Industry Development

(b) Finance

Accountancy Profession
 Banking and Currency
 Group Insurance
 Bills of Exchange
 Capital Markets Development
 Development Finance
 Exchange Control
 International Finance
 Moneylending
 Pensions and Superannuation
 Climate Change
 Public Finance
 Stamp Duties
 Taxation
 Units Trusts
 Census and Statistics

(c) Justice

Administration of Justice
 (Civil Law and Bankruptcy, Births, Deaths and Marriages, Charitable Trusts, Judiciary Legitimacy and Legitimation, National Prosecution Services, Partnerships, Prisons and Corrections Services Procedure, and Criminal Law and procedure)

Departments*Office of the Attorney-General*

Office of the Solicitor-General*
 (Attorney-General's Chambers)
 Board of Legal Education
 Central Liquor Board
 Film Control Board
 Commission of the Prerogative of Mercy
 Copyright Tribunal
 Costs Review Committee
 Divisional Liquor Tribunals
 Hotels Licensing Board
 Fiji Law Reform Commission
 Fiji Legal Aid Commission
 Law Revision Project

Department of Civil Aviation

Office of the Secretary-General to Parliament*

Fiji Intellectual Property Office

Humans Rights and Anti-Discrimination Commission*

Media Industry Development Authority*

Ministry of Finance

Budget Division
 Ex-Servicemen's After Care Fund
 Internal Audit Division Insurance
 Treasury
 Pensions
 Government Procurement Office
 Government Service Centre
 Office Accommodation Unit
 Strategic Planning and National Development Centre
 Fiji Bureau of Statistics
 Climate Change Unit
 Office of the Auditor-General*
 Office of the Commissioner of Stamp Duties

Ministry of Justice

Judicial Department*
 Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions*
 Office of the Administrator-General
 Office of the Registrar-General
 Office of the Registrar of Companies
 Office of the Official Receiver
 Office of the Registrar of Titles

Anti-Corruption	Fiji Independent Commission Against Corruption*
Information, Communication and Technology	Accountability and Transparency Commission*
Property Law and Conveyancing	Public Service Disciplinary Tribunal*
Registration of Bills of Sale	
Registration of Clubs	
Registration of Credit Unions and Friendly Societies	
Registration of Crop Liens	
Registration of Newspapers	
Registration of Religious and Charitable Bodies	
Trusts and Trustees	
Unit Titles	
<i>(d) Public Enterprises</i>	<i>Ministry of Public Enterprises</i>
Monitoring of Public Enterprises	Department of Public Enterprises
Postal Services	Financial Asset Management Division (only State owned enterprise monitoring)
Public Private Partnerships Project	Government Printing and Stationery Departments
Public Trustee	Biosecurity Authority of Fiji
Ports and Harbours	
Printing and Stationery	
Biosecurity	
<i>(e) Electoral Reform</i>	Fijian Elections Office*
Conduct of Elections	Electoral Commission*
<i>(f) Civil Service</i>	<i>Ministry of Civil Service</i>
	Civil Service Reform Management Unit
	Public Service Commission*
<i>(g) Communications</i>	Department of Communications
Public Service Broadcasting	Department of Information, Technology and Computing Services
Television and Voice Broadcasting	
Telecommunications	
<i>(h) Information</i>	<i>Department of Information</i>
Broadcasting and Print Media	Film Television Unit
Defamation	Information Services Unit
Media Relations	
Radio and Television	[Note: * indicates the responsibilities and is subject to any provisions as to the independence of office]
<i>(i) Responsibility for all written laws regulating the business of (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g) and (h) above including in particular, the following Acts, Promulgations and Decrees and the subsidiary laws made thereunder—</i>	
<i>Office of the Attorney-General</i>	
Arbitration Act (Cap. 38)	
Casino (Operator) Decree 2012	
Cinematographic Films Act (Cap. 271)	
Civil Aviation (Security) Act 1994	
Civil Aviation Act (Cap. 174)	
Civil Aviation Authority of Fiji Act (Cap. 174A)	
Civil Aviation (Convention on International Interests in Mobile Equipment) Decree 2012	
Civil Aviation (Ownership and Control of National Airlines) Decree 2012	

Civil Aviation Reform Act 1999
 Copyright Act 1999
 Disposal of Uncollected Goods Act (Cap. 233)
 Extradition Act 2003
 Fiji Law Reform Commission Act (Cap. 26)
 Financial Transactions Reporting Act 2004
 Gaming Decree 2009
 Hotels and Guest Houses Act (Cap. 195)
 Human Rights Commission Decree 2009
 Interpretation Act (Cap. 7)
 Legal Aid Act 1996
 Legal Practitioners Decree 2009
 Limitation Act (Cap. 35)
 Liquor Act 2006
 Media Industry Development Decree 2010
 Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters Act 1997
 Oaths Act (Cap. 42)
 Orders in Council Act (Cap. 25)
 Patents Act (Cap. 239)
 Proceeds of Crime Act 1997
 Revised Edition of Laws Act (Cap. 6)
 State Proceedings Act (Cap. 24)
 Statutory Declarations Act (Cap. 43)
 Trade-Marks Act (Cap. 240)
 Trust Accounts Act 1996
 United Kingdom Designs (Protection) Act (Cap. 242)

Finance

Airport Departure Tax Act 1986
 ANZ Banking Group (Bank of Hawaii) Act 2001
 Appropriation Acts, Promulgations and Decrees
 Audit Act (Cap. 70)
 Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Act (Ord. 28/70)
 Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Decree 1991
 Bank of South Pacific Limited (National Bank of Fiji Limited) Decree 2011
 Banking Act 1995
 Bills of Exchange Act (Cap. 227)
 Capital Gains Tax Decree 2011
 Census Act (Cap. 72)
 Colonial Fiji Life Act 1999
 Customs Act 1986
 Customs Tariff Act 1986
 Estate and Gift Duties Act (Cap. 203)
 Exchange Control Act (Cap. 211)
 Excise Act 1986
 Fiji Development Bank Act (Cap. 214)
 Fiji Institute of Accountants Act (Cap. 259)
 Fiji National Provident Fund Act (Cap. 219)
 Fiji National Provident Fund Decree 2011
 Fiji National Provident Fund Transition Decree 2011
 Fiji Revenue and Customs Authority Act 1998
 Fiji Servicemen's After-Care Fund Act (Cap. 84)
 Financial Management Act 2004
 Fringe Benefit Tax Decree 2012
 Gambling Turnover Tax Decree 1991
 Gold Dealers Act (Cap. 216)
 Income Tax Act 2015

Insurance Act 1998
 Insurance Law Reform Act 1996
 International Finance Corporation Act (Cap. 11A)
 International Financial Organisations Act (Cap. 11)
 Investment in Fiji Government Securities Act (Cap. 222)
 Land Sales Act (Cap. 137)
 Loan Guarantee Acts and Decrees
 Marine Insurance Act (Cap. 218)
 Momi Bay Development Decree 2010
 Moneylenders Act (Cap. 234)
 Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency Decree 1989
 Natadola Bay Development Decree 2010
 National Bank of Fiji Act (Cap. 213)
 National Bank of Fiji Restructuring Act 1996
 Pensions Act 1979
 Pensions Act 1983
 Pensions and Gratuities (Disciplined Services) Act (Cap. 78)
 Pensions (Overseas Officers) (Takeover) Act 1975
 Pensions (Royal Fiji Military Forces) (Active Operations) Act 1980
 Pensions (War Service) Act (Cap. 79)
 Reserve Bank of Fiji Act (Cap. 210)
 Service Turnover Tax Decree 2012
 Stamp Duties Act (Cap. 205)
 Statistics Act (Cap. 71)
 Turnover Tax (Miscellaneous Services) Act (Cap. 202A)
 Value Added Tax Decree 1991
 Widows and Orphans Pensions Act (Cap. 80)

Ministry of Justice

Bail Act 2002
 Bankers Book Evidence Act (Cap. 45)
 Bankruptcy Act (Cap. 48)
 Bills of Sale Act (Cap. 225)
 Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act (Cap. 49)
 British and Colonial Probates Act (Cap. 62)
 Charitable Trusts Act (Cap. 67)
 Civil Evidence Act 2002
 Companies Act 2015
 Compensation to Relatives Act (Cap. 29)
 Corrections Service Act 2006
 Court of Appeal Act (Cap. 12)
 Credit Union Act (Cap. 251)
 Crimes Decree 2009
 Criminal Procedure Decree 2009
 Crop Liens Act (Cap. 226)
 Debtors Act (Cap. 32)
 Distress for Rent Act (Cap. 36)
 Domestic Violence Decree 2009
 Evidence Act (Cap. 41)
 Family Law Act 2003
 Foreign Judgments (Reciprocal Enforcements) Act (Cap. 40)
 Friendly Societies Act (Cap. 253)
 High Court Act (Cap. 13)
 Illicit Drugs Control Act 2004

Inheritance (Family Provision) Act 2004
 Inquests Act (Cap. 46)
 Judges' Remuneration and Emoluments Act (Cap. 16)
 Judicial Tribunals (Prescribed Countries) Promulgation 2007
 Land Transfer Act (Cap. 131)
 Law Reform (Contributory Negligence and Tortfeasors) Act (Cap. 30)
 Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Death and Interest) Act (Cap. 27)
 Law Reform (Personal Injuries) Act (Cap. 28)
 Legitimacy Act (Cap. 57)
 Magistrates' Courts Act (Cap. 14)
 Marriage Act (Cap. 50)
 Married Women's Property Act (Cap. 37)
 Minor Offences Act (Cap. 18)
 Occupiers' Liability Act (Cap. 33)
 Partnership Act (Cap. 248)
 Property Law Act (Cap. 130)
 Public Documents Act (Cap. 44)
 Reciprocal Enforcement of Judgements Act (Cap. 39)
 Registration Act (Cap. 224)
 Registration of Business Names Act (Cap. 249)
 Registration of Clubs Act (Cap. 194)
 Religious Bodies Registration Act (Cap. 68)
 Sentencing and Penalties Decree 2009
 Small Claims Tribunal Decree 1991
 Succession, Probate and Administration Act (Cap. 60)
 Trustee Act (Cap. 65)
 Trustee Corporations Act (Cap. 66)
 Unit Titles Act (Cap. 274)
 Wills Act (Cap. 59)

Anti-Corruption

Fiji Independent Commission Against Corruption Promulgation 2007
 Prevention of Bribery Promulgation 2007

Fijian Elections Office

Electoral Decree 2014
 Electoral (Registration of Voters) Decree 2012
 Political Parties (Registration, Conduct, Funding and Disclosures) Decree 2013

Public Enterprises

Airports (Development and Modernisation) Decree 2012
 Biosecurity Promulgation 2008
 Fiji Public Trustee Corporation Act 2006
 Mahogany Industry Development Decree 2010
 Mahogany Industry (Licensing and Branding) Decree 2011
 Post and Telecommunication Decree 1989
 Public Enterprise Act 1996
 Public Private Partnership Act 2006
 Sea Ports Management Act 2005

Civil Service

Higher Salaries Commission (Revocation) Decree 2011
 Public Service Act 1999

Communications

Broadcasting Commissions Act (Cap. 105)

Compulsory Registration of Customers for Telephone Services Decree 2010

Reform of Information Technology and Computing Services Decree 2013

Regulation of National Spectrum Decree 2009

Telecommunications Promulgation 2008

Television (Cross-Carriage of Designated Events) Decree 2014

Television Decree 1992

Dated this 23rd day of December 2015.

J. V. BAINIMARAMA

Prime Minister
