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[Legal Notice No. 92]

THE MAKIRA ULAWA PROVINCE  
AREA COUNCIL ELECTIONS ORDER 1997

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTIONS

PART I    PRELIMINARY

1.    TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT

PART II    ORDER

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2.    ORDER
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PART IPRELIMINARY

1. This Order made under section 16 of the Makira Ulawa Province Council (Amendment) Ordinance 1989 may be cited as the Makira Ulawa Area Council Elections Order 1997 and shall come into operation on the date hereof.

PART IIORDER

2. (a) Pursuant to section 16(d) of the Makira Ulawa Province Council (Amendment) Ordinance 1989 that Makira Ulawa Provincial Assembly hereby Order that elections scheduled to be held in September 1996 for Bauro, Mwaniwiriwiri, Wainoni, Star Harbour, Arosi I, Arosi II, Ugi and Ulawa Councils and elections scheduled to be held in August 1997, for Haununu and Rawo Councils are hereby postponed until after the 1997 National General Elections.
- (b) Notwithstanding the prescription of section 38 (1) of the Principal Ordinance, all councils affected by this Order shall not be dissolved pursuant to the above mentioned section upon the eve of their otherwise regularly scheduled election, but shall remain under the same council Membership and Leadership until that election held pursuant to subsection (c) of this section. Until that election to be held under this Order, such same council members and officers shall hold the same rights, responsibilities, power and authority as during their regular terms of membership and office.
- (c) Pursuant to this Order, Council Elections shall now take place at a date to be announced by the Executive, but at a date not later than 30th April 1998.

The Executive shall give at least four weeks notice of such election date to the Councils.

Passed by the Makira Ulawa Provincial Assembly

this thirtieth day of May 1997.