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[Legal Notice No. 138]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
(LN 43 of 1978)**

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR INFRASTRUCTURE  
AND DEVELOPMENT**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE JACKSON FIULAUA**

as Minister for Infrastructure and Development with effect from the date hereof.

**DATED AT HONIARA** this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 139]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
(LN 43 of 1978)**

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS  
AND EXTERNAL TRADE**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE PETER SHANEL AGOVAKA**

as Minister for Foreign Affairs and External Trade with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 140]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR FORESTRY**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE DICKSON MUA PANAKITASI**

as Minister for Forestry with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 141]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
(LN 43 of 1978)**

**APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER  
FOR HOME AFFAIRS**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE MANASSEH MAELANGA**

as Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Home Affairs with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 142]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
(LN 43 of 1978)**

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR NATIONAL  
PLANNING AND AID COORDINATION**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE SNYDER RINI**

as Minister for National Planning and Aid Coordination with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 143)

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978**

(LN 43 of 1978)

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR LANDS, SURVEYS  
AND HOUSING**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE JOSEPH ONIKA**

as Minister for Lands, Surveys and Housing with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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(Legal Notice No. 144)

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
(LN 43 of 1978)**

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR COMMERCE,  
INDUSTRIES, LABOUR AND IMMIGRATION**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE ELIJAH DORO MUALA**

as Minister for Commerce, Industries, Labour and Immigration with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 145)

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978**  
(LN 43 of 1978)

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR PUBLIC SERVICE**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE ALFRED GIRO**

as Minister for Public Service with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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(Legal Notice No. 146]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR WOMEN, YOUTH,  
CHILDREN AND FAMILY AFFAIRS**

**IN** exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE PETER TOM**

as Minister for Women, Youth, Children and Family Affairs with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 147]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978**  
(LN 43 of 1978)

**APPOINTMENT OF MINISTER FOR CULTURE AND TOURISM**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 33(3) of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Government-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint –

**HONOURABLE SAMUEL MANETOALI**

as Minister for Culture and Tourism with effect from the date hereof.

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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(Legal Notice No. 148]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978**  
(LN 43 of 1978)

**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE PRIME MINISTER**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**THE PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET**

the responsibility for the administration of the Office of the Prime Minister and Cabinet and the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as set out in the Schedule –

**SCHEDULE**

**OFFICE OF THE PRIME  
MINISTER AND CABINET**

Coordination of Ministers  
Constitutional Offices and Affairs  
Government Communication and Information  
Services  
Parliamentary Service  
Cabinet Services  
Coordination and Monitoring of Government  
Policies, Programs and Projects  
Policy Formulation, Translation and Evaluation

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY**

Leadership Code Commission  
Solomon Islands Broadcasting Corporation  
Prerogative of Mercy Committee  
Intelligence and National Security Council  
Judicial and Legal Service Commission  
Police and Correctional Service Commission  
Public Service Commission  
Teaching Service Commission  
Members of Parliament (Entitlements)  
Commission Honours and Awards

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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(Legal Notice No. 149]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER  
FOR INFRASTRUCTURE AND DEVELOPMENT**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR INFRASTRUCTURE AND DEVELOPMENT**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Infrastructure and Development and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF INFRASTRUCTURE  
AND DEVELOPMENT**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY**

Government Marine Fleet  
Civil Aviation Works Development  
Government Transport Pool  
Government Building and Maintenance  
Maritime Conventions and Law  
Roads, Bridges, Wharves, Airfield Constructions  
and Maintenance  
Search and Rescue  
Maritime and Surveillance Service  
Marine Inspection, Licensing and Registration

Solomon Islands Ports Authority

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER  
FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND EXTERNAL TRADE**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND EXTERNAL TRADE**

responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and External Trade and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND EXTERNAL TRADE      STATUTORY AUTHORITY**

Foreign Relations	Foreign Relations Advisory Council
Envoys and Principal Representatives	
International Trade Relations, Treaties and Agreement	

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
FORESTRY**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR FORESTRY**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Forestry and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF FORESTRY**

Forestry Management and Development  
Smallholder Reforestation Development  
Forestry Research and Extension Services  
Logging and Milling Licensing  
Sustainable Forestry Resources Utilisation

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY**

North New Georgia Timber Corporation

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
HOME AFFAIRS**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS**

responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Home Affairs and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

<b>MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS</b>	<b>STATUTORY AUTHORITY</b>
Citizenship	Citizenship Commission
National Disaster	Electoral Commission
Ecclesiastical Affairs	Censorship Board
Cinematography	National Disaster Council
Gaming and Lotteries	Electoral Boundaries Commission
Liquor Licensing	Liquor Licensing Board
National Elections	The Honiara City Council
Public Holidays	Gaming and Lotteries Board
Local Government	National Sports Council
Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths	National Council of Women
Women and Youths Affairs	National Youth Congress
Coordination of Non-Government Organisation	

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
NATIONAL PLANNING & AID COORDINATION**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR NATIONAL PLANNING & AID COORDINATION**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of National Planning and Aid Coordination and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF NATIONAL PLANNING & AID COORDINATION**

Economic and Development Planning  
Human Resources Planning  
Aid Management and Coordination  
Policy Monitoring and Economic  
Population Planning and Management

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
LANDS, SURVEYS AND HOUSING**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR LANDS, SURVEYS AND HOUSING**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Lands, Surveys and Housing and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule here-  
to –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF LANDS, SURVEYS AND HOUSING**

Land Use Development and Planning  
Alienated Land Development and Control  
Land Survey  
Mapping and Charting  
Physical Planning and Landscaping  
Government Housing  
Hydro-Graphicss Surveys  
Land Acquisition  
Regional Land Centers  
Customary Land Recording  
Land Reform

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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(Legal Notice No. 155]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
COMMERCE, INDUSTRIES, LABOUR AND IMMIGRATION**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR COMMERCE, INDUSTRIES, LABOUR AND IMMIGRATION**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Commerce, Industries, Labour and Immigration and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF COMMERCE, INDUSTRIES,  
LABOUR AND IMMIGRATION**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY**

Business Advisory and Services	Commodities Export Marketing Authority
Manufacturing Industrial Development	Trades Dispute Panel
Consumer Affairs and Fair Trading	Apprenticeship Board
National Trade Testing and Training	
Employment, Labour Workmen's Compensation and Safety	
Immigration	
Passports and Travel Documents	
Registrar's Office	

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978**  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
PUBLIC SERVICE**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR PUBLIC SERVICE**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Public Service and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF PUBLIC SERVICE**

Public Service Recruitment  
In-Service Training  
Public Service Human Resources Development  
Human Resources Development  
Public Service Social Security and Welfare

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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(Legal Notice No. 157)

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
(LN 43 of 1978)**

**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
WOMEN, YOUTH, CHILDREN AND FAMILY AFFAIRS**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR WOMEN, YOUTH, CHILDREN AND FAMILY AFFAIRS**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Women, Youth, Children and Family Affairs and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

<b>MINISTRY OF WOMEN, YOUTH, CHILDREN AND FAMILY AFFAIRS</b>	<b>STATUTORY AUTHORITY</b>
Women Development	National Council for Women
Youth Development	National Youth Congress
Children Development	
Family Affairs	
Women and Youth Organisation	
International Convention on the Rights of Women and children	
Domestic Legislation on Family Affairs, Children and Youth	

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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(Legal Notice No. 158]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978  
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**ASSIGNMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY TO THE MINISTER FOR  
CULTURE AND TOURISM**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon section 37 of the Constitution and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby assign to the person for the time being holding the office of –

**MINISTER FOR CULTURE AND TOURISM**

the responsibility for the administration of the Ministry of Culture and Tourism and for the conduct of the business of the Government of Solomon Islands as specified in the Schedule hereto –

**SCHEDULE**

**MINISTRY OF CULTURE AND  
TOURISM**

Museum  
National Monuments and Natural History  
Cultural Centres and Art and Gallery  
National and International Festivals and Shows  
Pacific Arts and Cultural Festivals  
National Dance Troupes and Theatre  
Cultural Property Rights  
National Archives  
National Park and Heritage

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY**

Solomon Islands Visitors Bureau  
National Arts Gallery

DATED AT HONIARA this twentieth-second day of November, 2011.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI  
GOVERNOR-GENERAL**

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(Legal Notice No. 159]

**FOREST RESOURCES AND TIMBER UTILISATION ACT  
(CAP. 40)**

**FOREST RESOURCES AND TIMBER UTILISATION  
(EXEMPTION) (BURARA LAND) ORDER 2011**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 4(1)(c) of the Act, I make this Order –

Citation and commencement      1.      This Order may be cited as the Forest Resources and Timber Utilisation (Exemption) (Burara land) Order 2011, and commences on the date of publication in the *Gazette*.

Felling and removal of trees      2.      (1)      The felling of trees and removal of timber and timber products from an area approved under subparagraph (2) in the Burara land in the Malaita Province for the purposes of agricultural development on Burara land are exempted from the provisions of section 4 of the Act.

(2)      No clear felling shall be undertaken under subparagraph (1) unless the Commissioner gives prior written approval of the area to be cleared subject to the following conditions –

- (a)      the area to be cleared for agricultural development and reforestation to be clearly marked on a map given to the Commission, which shall not at any one time exceed three hundred [300] hectares;
  - (b)      no extension for additional area to be cleared to be granted until the agricultural development or reforestation has been done in the approved area already cleared to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and the Ministry responsible for Agriculture;
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- (c) other conditions necessary to implement the agricultural development or reforestation, as the Commissioner may impose.

(3) A person who contravenes this paragraph is deemed to have committed an offence under section 4 of the Act, as if the exemption were not granted under this Order.

MADE AT HONIARA this first day of November, 2011.

HON. BRADLEY TOVOSIA  
Minister for Forestry

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