FIJI ISLANDS GOVERNMENT GAZETTE SUPPLEMENT

No. 7

FRIDAY, 11th MARCH

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[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 13]

GOVERNMENT OF FUI

(EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY OF FUI DECREE 2009 (Decree No. 2))

MINISTERIAL ASSIGNMENT

To:

Mr Joketani Cokanasiga

Acting Minister for Defence, National Security and Immigration

WHEREAS His Excellency Josefa Iloilovatu Uluivuda, in exercise of the powers vested in him as President of the Republic of Fiji and Commander in Chief of the Republic of the Fiji Military Forces by the Executive Authority of Fiji Decree (Decree No. 2), and on the advice of the Prime Minister, had appointed Ratu Epeli Ganilau as Minister for Defence, National Security and Immigration with effect from the 11th day of April 2009 and assigned to you the responsibility for the conduct of the Government business and departments and the written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 4 of 2009;

AND WHEREAS the office, powers and functions of the President of the Republic of Fiji and Commander in Chief of the Republic of the Fiji Military Forces are now vested in His Excellency, Epeli Nailatikau ("the President") pursuant to Section 3A of the Executive Authority of Fiji Decree 2009;

AND WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers vested in me as President of the Republic of Fiji and Commander in Chief of the Republic of the Fiji Military Forces by the Executive Authority of Fiji (Amendment) Decree 2009 (Decree No. 28), I revoked with effect from the 1st day of January, 2010, all assignments of responsibilities as recited above, in Legal Notice No. 4 of 2009 and with effect from the same day assigned Ratu Epeli Ganilau, as the Minister for Defence, National Security and Immigration, the responsibility for the conduct of the Government business and departments and the written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 60 of 2010;

Now Therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in me as the President of the Republic of Fiji and Commander in Chief of the Republic of the Fiji Military Forces by the Executive Authority of Fiji (Amendment) Decree 2009 (Decree No. 28), I hereby revoke with effect from the 17th day of November, 2010, all assignments of responsibilities assigned to Ratu Epeli Ganilau as recited in Legal Notice No. 60 of 2010, and with effect from the same day assign to you in your current capacity as the Acting Minister for Defence, National Security and Immigration, the responsibility for the conduct of the following Government business and departments and for the following written laws (subject to the provisions of any other laws)—

Business

Defence, National Security, Immigration (a) and Veteran Affairs After Care Fund

Defence, Security and Public Order

Citizenship Deportation Hydrography Immigration

Maritime Surveillance **National Day Celebrations**

Passports

Rehabilitation of Offenders

Shipping Services

Responsibility for all written laws regulating the business of (a) above including in particular, the following Acts and the subsidiary legislation made thereunder-

Defence, Police and Immigration

Aliens Act (Cap. 91)

Arms and Ammunition Act 2003

Chemical Weapons Convention Act

Citizenship of Fiji Decree 2009 (Decree

No. 23/09)

Deportation Act (Cap. 90)

Geneva Conventions Promulgation

Immigration Act 2003 Passports Act 2002

Police Act (Cap. 85)

Public Order Act (Cap. 20)

Public Safety Act (Cap.19)

Rehabilitation of Offenders (Irrelevant

Convictions) Act 1997

Republic of Fiji Military Forces Act

(Cap. 81)

Security Industry Decree 2010

Visiting Forces Decree 1991

[This appointment is made in addition to Mr. Joketani Cokanasiga's appointment as the Minister for Primary Industries as per LN No: 31/2009]

Dated at Suva this 5th day of March 2011.

EPELI NAILATIKAU President of the Republic of Fiji

Department of Defence Republic of Fiji Military Forces

Department

Ministry of Defence, National Security

Royal Fiji Navy

and Immigration

Government Shipping Services

Hydrographic Unit

Department of National Security

Fiji Police Force

Department of Immigration

Department of Veteran Affairs