

EXTRAORDINARY

FIJI REPUBLIC GAZETTE SUPPLEMENT

No. 3

FRIDAY, 14th JANUARY

1994

[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 9]

CONSTITUTION OF THE SOVEREIGN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF FIJI
(Section 86)**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by subsection (2) of section 83 of the Constitution, you were appointed to be Prime Minister with effect from the 2nd day of June 1992:

AND WHEREAS, on the 9th day of July 1992 in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by subsection (1) of section 86 of the Constitution I had assigned to you responsibility for the conduct (subject to the provisions of the Constitution and any other laws) of the business and departments of Government specified in Part I of Legal Notice No. 91 of 1992 with effect from the 2nd day of June 1992; and specified in Part II of the same Legal Notice with effect from the 1st day of July 1992 until the 28th day of October 1993:

AND WHEREAS, I transferred from you and assigned to the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs responsibility for the Acts and the subsidiary legislation made under them specified in Part I of Legal Notice No. 91 of 1992 which were deemed deleted from Part I of the Legal Notice aforesaid, namely:

- Consular Conventions (Administration of Estates) Act (Cap. 63)
- Consular Privileges and Immunities Act (Cap. 9)
- Diplomatic Privileges and Immunities Act (Cap. 8)
- Special Missions Privileges and Immunities Act (Cap. 10)

NOW THEREFORE, I do hereby transfer from you and assign to the Minister for Home Affairs responsibility for certain Acts and subsidiary legislation made under them specified in Part III hereunder, with effect from the 31st day of August 1993:

AND DO FURTHER, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by subsection (1) of section 86 of the Constitution, I assign to you responsibility for the conduct (subject to the provisions of the Constitution and any other laws) of the business and departments of Government specified in Part IV hereunder with effect from the 29th day of October 1993:

ACCORDINGLY THEREFORE, I do assign to you with effect from the 29th day of October 1993, responsibility for the conduct (subject to the provisions of the Constitution and any other laws) of the business and departments of Government specified in Part V hereunder:

PART I

*Business**Departments*

- (a) The Constitution and Parliament
 The Public Service
 Banabans and Banaban Lands
 Citizenship
 Coat of Arms of Fiji
 Commissions of Inquiry
 Defence, Security and
 Public Order
 Deportation
 Extradition
 Immigration
 Maritime Surveillance
 Passports
 Preservation of Books
 Promissory Oaths
 Public Records
 Rotuma and Rotuma Lands
 Titles of Office

- Office of the President
 The Cabinet
 Office of the Prime
 Minister
 Public Service Commission
 (statutory functions)
 Office of the Secretary-General
 to Parliament
 Office of the Supervisor
 of Elections
 (subject to any provision
 as to independence of
 office)
 Office of the Ombudsman
 (subject to any provision
 as to independence of
 office)
 National Archives
 Ministry of Home Affairs,
 with—
 Fiji Police Force
 (subject to any provision as to independence of office)
 Prisons Department
 Fiji Military Forces
 Immigration Department

- (b) Responsibility for all written law regulating the business of Government specified in paragraph (a), including in particular the following Acts and the subsidiary legislation made thereunder:

- Aliens Act (Cap. 91)
 Arms and Ammunition Act (Cap. 188)
 Banaban Lands Act (Cap. 124)
 Banaban Settlement Act (Cap. 123)
 Coat of Arms of Fiji (Restriction of Use) Act (Cap. 245)
 Commissions of Inquiry Act (Cap. 47)
 Constitution of the Sovereign Democratic Republic of Fiji, 1990
 Constitutional Documents (Cap. 1)
 Deportation Act (Cap. 90)
 Dissolution of the Rabi Island Council of Leaders Decree, 1992
 Electoral Decree, 1991
 Extradition Act (Cap. 23)
 Fiji Citizenship Act (Cap. 87)
 Fiji Intelligence Service Decree, 1990
 Fiji Service Commissions Decree, 1988 (No. 7 of 1988)
 Fiji Servicemen's After-Care Fund Act (Cap. 84)
 Head of State and Executive Authority of Fiji Decree, 1988 (No. 5/88)
 Higher Salaries Commission Act, 1983
 Immigration Act (Cap. 88)
 Internal Security Decree, 1988 (No. 32/88) (currently suspended)
 Judges' Remuneration and Emoluments Act (Cap. 16)

Libraries (Deposit of Books) Act (Cap. 109)
 Ombudsman Act (Cap. 3)
 Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Act (Cap. 5)
 Parliamentary Retirement Allowances Decree, 1989
 Police Act (Cap. 85)
 Prescription of Offices Act, 1970 (No. 5/70 and No. 57/71)
 Prescription of Salaries Act, (Cap. 2)
 Prisons Act (Cap. 86)
 Promissory Oaths Act (Cap. 76)
 Public Order Act (Cap. 20)
 Public Records Act (Cap. 108)
 Public Safety Act (Cap. 19)
 Public Service Act (Cap. 74)
 Rotuma Act (Cap. 122)
 Rotuma Lands Act (Cap. 138)
 Royal Fiji Military Forces Act (Cap. 81)
 Sunday Observance Decree, 1988
 Suppression of Terrorism Decree, 1991
 Titles of Office Act (Cap. 75)
 Visiting Forces Decree, 1991

PART II

Responsibility for all written law regulating
 the business of Government in relation to the
 following and the subsidiary legislation made
 thereunder:

Posts and Telecommunications Decree, 1989 (No. 37/89)
 Television Decree, 1992

PART III

Business

- (a) Defence, Security and Public Order
 Maritime Surveillance
- (b) Responsibility for all written law regulating
 the business of Government, specified in
 paragraph (a), including in particular the
 following Acts and the subsidiary legislation
 made thereunder:

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Departments

Ministry of Home Affairs with—
 Fiji Police Force (subject to any provision as to
 independence of office)
 Fiji Military Forces
 Prisons Department

PART IV

Business

- (a) Divisional Administration
 Disaster Relief, Rehabilitation
 and Rural Housing
 Emergency Services
 Fijian Affairs
 Fijian Fishing Rights
 Native Lands
 Regional Development

- (b) Responsibility for all written law regulating the business of Government specified in paragraph (a) including, in particular the following Acts and the subsidiary legislation made thereunder:

Fijian Affairs Act (Cap. 120)
 Fijian Development Fund Act (Cap. 121)
 Native Lands Act (Cap. 133)
 Native Land Trust Act (Cap. 134)

Departments

Ministry of Fijian
 Affairs and Regional
 Development with—
 Fijian Dictionary Project
 and Research Institute
 for Fijian Culture
 Department of Rural
 Development and Rural Housing

PART V

Business

- (a) The Constitution and Parliament
 The Public Service
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 Public Records Act (Cap. 108)
 Public Service Act (Cap. 74)
 Rotuma Act (Cap. 122)
 Rotuma Lands Act (Cap. 138)
 Titles of Office Act (Cap. 75)

Given under my hand this 5th day of January 1994.

K. K. T. MARA
Acting President

To: Hon Major-General Sitiveni L. Rabuka, OBE (Mil), OSt J, MSD
Prime Minister
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