[LEGAL NOTICE No. 41]

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

Ministerial Assignment

To: Dr Mahendra Reddy

Minister for Agriculture, Waterways and Environment

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers vested in me as the Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji under section 92(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Fiji, I assigned to you in your capacity as the Minister for Agriculture, Rural and Maritime Development, Waterways and Environment with effect from 22 November 2018, the responsibility for the conduct of Government businesses, divisions and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 95 of 2018;

Now Therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in me as the 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 17 April 2020, all assignments and responsibilities under Legal Notice No. 95 of 2018, and with effect from the same day assign to you in your capacity as the Minister for Agriculture, Waterways and Environment, the responsibility for the conduct of the following Government businesses, divisions and written laws (subject to the provisions of any other written law)—

	Business	Division
(a)	Agriculture Agriculture Holding Agriculture Holding Agriculture Landlord and Tenant Citrus Industry Cocoa Coconut Industry Control and Protection of Animals Dairy Industry Dog Control Fruit Marketing and Export Ginger Industry Land Development, Conservation and Utilisation Livestock and Wildlife Meat, Poultry and Livestock Industry Plant Protection Rice Industry Stock Improvements	Ministry of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Authority Land Conservation Board Land Resources Planning and Development Office of the Agricultural Tribunal
(b)	Waterways Drainage Irrigation Watershed Management	Ministry of Waterways Land and Water Resource Management
(c)	Environment Conservation of Environment	Ministry of Environment Department of Environment

(d) Responsibility for all written laws regulating the businesses of (a), (b) and (c) above including in particular, the following Acts and the subsidiary legislation made thereunder—

Agriculture

Agricultural Landlord and Tenant Act 1966

Agricultural Marketing Authority Act 2004

Banana Export and Marketing Act 1960

Birds and Game Protection Act 1923

Brands Act 1928

Coconut Industry Development Act 2010

Co-operative Dairy Companies Act 1974

Copra Industry Loans Act 1976

Dairies Act 1965

Dogs Act 1968

Fencing Act 1955

Fruit Export and Marketing Act 1906

Ginger Council of Fiji Act 1996

Goat (Ear-marks) Act 1955

Land Conservation and Improvement Act 1953

Land Development Act 1961

Meat Industry Act 1969

Pesticides Act 1971

Pound Act 1877

Protection of Animals Act 1954

Stock Improvement Act 1932

Trespass of Animals Act 1955

Veterinary Surgeons Act 1956

Waterways

Drainage Act 1961

Irrigation Act 1973

Environment

Endangered and Protected Species Act 2002

Environment Management Act 2005

Litter Act 2008

Ozone Depleting Substances Act 1998

Dated this 17th day of April 2020.

J. V. BAINIMARAMA Prime Minister