[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 71]

CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

(*Section 92(3)*)

Ministerial Assignment

To: Ms Lynda Diseru Tabuya

Minister for Women, Children and Social Protection

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 Women, Children and Poverty Alleviation with effect from 24 December 2022, the responsibility for the conduct of Government businesses, divisions and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 6 of 2023;

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 1 August 2023, all assignments and responsibilities under Legal Notice No. 6 of 2023, and with effect from the same day assign to you in your capacity as the Minister for Women, Children and Social Protection the responsibility for the conduct of the following Government businesses, divisions and written laws (subject to the provisions of any other written law)-

Business

(a) Women, Children and Social Protection Adoption of Infants Care and Protection of Juveniles

Division

Ministry of Women, Children and Social Protection Department of Children Department of Social Welfare Department of Women

Community Corrections
Disabled Persons
Family Welfare and Assistance
Marriage Guidance
National Women's Plan of Action
Poverty Monitoring
Probation of Offenders
Women and Gender Development

Poverty Monitoring Unit

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

Women, Children and Social Protection
Adoption Act 2020
Adoption of Infants Act 1944
Child Welfare Act 2010
Community-Based Corrections Act 2018
Community Work Act 1994
Juveniles Act 1973
National Council for Older Persons Act 2012
Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2018

Dated this 19th day of July 2023.

S. L. RABUKA Prime Minister