[LEGAL NOTICE No. 49]

GOVERNMENT OF FIJI

EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY OF FIJI DECREE 2009 (DECREE No. 2)

MINISTERIAL ASSIGNMENT

To: Mr Timoci Lesi Natuva Minister for Works, Transport and Public Utilities

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 2009 (Decree No. 2), and on the advice of the Prime Minister had appointed you as Minister for Works, Transport and Public Utilities, with effect from the 11th day of April 2009 and assigned to you the responsibility for the conduct of Government business and departments and the written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 9 of 2009 dated the 12th of April 2009;

AND WHERAS, 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 Decree 2009 (Decree No. 2), I revoked with effect from the 1st day of January, 2010, all assignments of responsibilities under Legal Notice No. 9 of 2009 and with effect from the same day assigned to you as the Minister for Works, Transport and Public Utilities the responsibility for the conduct of the Government business and departments and the written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 61 of 2010;

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 Decree 2009 (Decree No. 2), I revoked with effect from the 8th day of February, 2011, all assignments of responsibilities under Legal Notice No. 61 of 2010, and with effect from the same day assigned to you as the Minister for Works, Transport and Public Utilities the responsibility for the conduct of the Government business and departments and the written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 22 of 2011;

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 Decree 2009 (Decree No. 2), I revoked with effect from the 5th day of January, 2012, all assignments of responsibilities under Legal Notice No. 22 of 2011, and with effect from the same day assigned to you as the Minister for Works, Transport and Public Utilities the responsibility for the conduct of the Government business and departments and the written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 22 of 2012;

Now THEREFORE, 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 hereby revoke with effect from the 12th day of August, 2013, all assignments of responsibilities conferred upon you under Legal Notice No. 22 of 2012, and with effect from the same day assign to you in your current capacity as the Minister for Works, Transport and Public Utilities 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

(a) Works
Infrastructure
Railway Services
Registration of Architects and Engineers
Buildings

Department

Ministry of Works, Transport and Public Utilities

Department of Energy
Department of Transport
Divisional Engineers
Fiji Islands Maritime Safety
Administration
Fiji Meteorological Services
Government Shipping Services
Public Works Department
Water Authority of Fiji

- (b) Transport
 Land Transport
 Marine Services
 Meteorology
 Railway Services
 Road Safety
 Shipbuilding
 Shipping Services
 Transport Planning
- (c) Public Utilities (Water and Energy)
 Biofuel Policy Development
 Conservation of Fuel
 Development of Energy Resources
 Electricity Supply [other than rural
 electrification]
 Energy Development Policy
 Fuel and Power Energy Measures
 Rural Electrification
 Water and Sewerage
 Water Rates

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

Works and Transport

Architects Act (Cap. 258)

Bicycles Act (Cap. 178)

Collision Regulations (Ships and Sea Planes of Water) and signals of Distress (Ships) Order, 1965

Engineers Registration Act (Cap. 261)

Land Transport Act 1998

Marine Act 1986

Maritime Safety Authority of Fiji Decree 2009

Maritime Transport Decree 2013

Motor Vehicles (Third Party Insurance Act) (Cap. 177)

National Road Safety Council Act 1994

Petroleum Act (Cap 190)

Railways Act (Cap. 179)

Ship Registration Decree 2013

Wreck and Salvage Act (Cap. 198)

Public Utilities

Electricity Act (Cap. 180)

Sewerage Act (Cap. 128)

Water Authority of Fiji Promulgation 2007

Fiji National Petroleum Company Limited Decree 1991

Fuel and Power Emergency Act (Cap. 191)

[Legal Notice No. 22 of 2012 is amended accordingly to reflect the transfer of Government Shipping Services to the Ministry for Works and Transport from the Ministry of Defence, National Security and Immigration]

DATED at Suva this 22nd day of August 2013.

EPELI NAILATIKAU
President of the Republic of Fiji