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THE FOREST RESOURCES AND TIMBER UTILISATION ACT (Cap. 40)

THE FOREST RESOURCES AND TIMBER UTILISATION (PROTECTED SPECIES) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2012

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon the Minister by section 44 and item 7 of the First Schedule of the Forest Resources and Timber Utilisation Act, the following regulations are hereby made

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Forest Resources and Timber Utilisation (Protected Species) (Amendment) Regulations 2012.

2. The Forest Resources and Timber Utilisation (Protected Species) Regulations 2012 is amended as follows:

(a) by deleting Regulation 4 and replacing it with a new Regulation 4 as follows:

"4. The following species shall only be exported in milled timber form pursuant to a milling licence issued by the Commissioner of Forest Resources:

Rosewood	- Pterocarpus indicus
Ironwood	- Instia bijuga
Kauri	 Agathiss macrophylia
Walnut	- Dracontomelum vitiense
Canoe Tree	- Gmelia moluccana
	- Canarium spp.

Vasa

- Vitex "

(b) by adding a new Regulation 5 after Regulation 4 as follows:

"5. The following species shall only be exported in product form manufactured in Solomon Islands:

Rattan - Calamus spp.

Dated at Honiara this first day of November, 2012.

HON. DICKSON MUA, MP Minister of Forestry and Research

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