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## THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1997 (No. 7 OF 1997)

### THE PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLIES ELECTION REGULATIONS 1987 NOTICE TO HOLD PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS 2006

IN exercise of the powers conferred by sections 9 and 10 of the Provincial Government Act 1997 as read with Regulation 9 of the Provincial Assemblies Election Regulation 1987, I, JAPHET WAIPORA, Minister of Provincial Government and Rural Development hereby:-

- (i) Appoint the **14th Day of December 2006** as the date for holding of the Provincial Assembly Bye Election **Western Province**;
- (ii) Appoint Mr. Jonathan Bana to be the Returning Officer for the Choiseul Provincial Assembly Bye-Election; and
- (iii) Require that nominations in respect of candidates for the Election be delivered to the Returning Officer at the **Provincial**Headquarter, Gizo, not later than 4 0'clock in the afternoon of Thursday the 16th Day of November, 2006.

Dated at Honiara this thirty first Day of October 2006.

HON. JAPHET WAIPORA MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

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### TIME SCHEDULE FOR THE HOLDING OF ELECTIONS FOR

### WARD 7 - VONUNU, WESTERN PROVINCE - 2006

MONTH	DATE	NO. OF DAYS	PUBLICATION OF MINISTER'S NOTICE
NOVEMBER	09	35	Closing date for publication of
2006	10	34	Minister's Notice. Reg. 9 (1) (a),
	11	33	(b) and 2 (a).
	12	32	
	13	31	
	14	30	
	15	29	Nominations to be received not
	16	28	later than 4.00 p.m. Reg. 9 1(c).
	17	27	
	18	26	
	19	25	
	20	24	
	21	23	List of Candidates to be
	22	22	published not later than this
	23	21	date. Reg. 15.
	24	20	
	25	19	
<b>DECEMBER</b>	26	18	
2006	27	17	
	28	16	
	29	15	Withdrawal of nominations by
	30	14	Candidates not later than 4.00 p.m. Reg. 11(4)

MONTH	DATE	NO. OF	PUBLICATIONS OF
		DAYS	MINISTER'S NOTICE
DECEMBER	01	13	
2006	02	12	
	03	11	
	04	10	
	05	09	Last date for publication of
	06	08	final list of Candidates by
	07	07	Returning Officer. Reg. 18.
	08	06	
	09	05	<b>Appointment of Polling Agents</b>
	10	04	by Candidates. Reg. 20 (1), (2)
			(a) and (b) and (3) (a) and (b)
	11	03	Appointment of Counting Agents
	12	02	by Candidates. Reg. 31 (1), (2)
			and (3).
	13	1	
	14	0	Election Day