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**PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1981  
(No. 7 of 1981)****THE TEMOTU PROVINCE ELECTORAL ARRANGEMENTS  
ORDER 1996**

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Provincial Government Act 1981 and on the basis of proposals submitted by the Boundaries Commission, I, ALLAN QURUSU, Minister of Provincial Government hereby make the following order.

1. This order may be cited as the Temotu Province Electoral Arrangements Order 1996.
2. The schedule to this order shall be deemed to have come into force on 28th September 1996.
3. The Eastern Islands Council [Constitution of Wards] (Amendment) Order 1977 [LN 83/77] shall be repealed on the dissolution of the present Provincial Assembly.
4. The Electoral arrangements for Temotu Provincial Assembly upon the dissolution of the present Provincial Assembly shall be as contained in the schedule. One Member shall be returned for each electoral ward named in the schedule.

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<b><u>Number and Names of Ward</u></b>	<b><u>Area of Ward</u></b>
1. Fenualoa	The island of Fenualoa.
2. Polynesian Outliners	The islands of Matema, Nalogo, Nifiloli, Nukapu, Nupani, Pileni, Sand, Tinakula and their attendant islets.
3. Nipua/Nopali	The island of Nipua and its attendant islets; thence easterly by a straight line from a point north-west of Lomlom at map reference E 642370 and N 88646440; to a point at map reference E 6465590 and N 8865000; thence northerly by a straight line to a point at the coast at map reference E 646450 and N 8865750; thence along the coast to the point of commencement.
4. Lipe/Temoa	An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at a point on the north-coast of Lomlom at map reference E 646450 and N 8865750; thence south-easterly by a straight line to a point on the coast at map reference E 646800 and N 8863580 and including the island of Gninbanga or Temoa.
5. Manuopo	An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at the north-west coast of Lomlom at map reference E642370 and N 8864640; thence easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E646590 and N 8865000; thence south-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E646800 and N 8863580; thence west ward along the coast to the point of commencement.

6. Nenumpo	An area bounded as follows:- The islands laying south of Lomlom including Gninbange Nende, Nganainumbuli, Ngatado and Pigeon.
7. Nevenema	An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at a point on the coast at map reference E 582600 and N 8805370; thence north-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 586320 and N 8808830; thence north-westerly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 584330 and N 8816260.
8. Luva Station	An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at a point at map reference E 585600 and N 8812100; thence north-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E587800 and N 8813450; thence north-easterly to a point at map reference E 591550 and N 8818100; thence westerly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 590320 and N 8818370; thence south-westerly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 884330 and N 8816260; thence south-easterly to the point of commencement.
9. Graciosa Bay	An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at a point on map reference E 585600 and N 8812100; thence north-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 587800 and N 8813450; thence north-easterly by a straight line to point at map reference E 591550 and N 8818100; thence south-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 599300 and N 8816200; thence south-easterly by a straight line to a point on map reference E 593400 and N 8807900; thence westerly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 586320 and N 8808830; thence north-westerly to the point of commencement.

10. Nea/Noole	<p>An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at a point on the coast at map reference E 582600 and N 8805370; thence north-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 586320 and N 880830; thence easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 593400 and N 8807900; thence south-easterly by a straight line to the mouth of NAMBALUE River at map reference E 595500 and N 8803160; thence westerly along the coast to the point of commencement.</p>
11. North East Santa Cruz	<p>An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at a point on the coast at map reference E 591550 and N 8818100; thence south-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 599300 and N 8816200; thence north-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 625000 and N 8820130; thence along the coast back to the point of commencement.</p>
12. Manggu/Lord Howe	<p>An area bounded as follows:- Commencing at the mouth of NAMBALUE River at map reference E 595500 and N 8803160; thence north-westerly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 593400 and N 8807900; thence north-easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 599300 and N 8816200; thence easterly by a straight line to a point at map reference E 625000 and N 8820130; thence along the coast to the point of commencement including the island of Temotu Noi and the other islets.</p>

13. Duff Islands	The group of islands known as the Duff Islands.
14. Utupua	The island of Utupua and its adjoining islands and islets.
15. Vanikoro	The Island of Vanikoro and its adjoining islands and islets, including Te Anu.
16. Tikopia	The island of Tikopia and its adjoining islands and islets.
17. Neo	Those parts of Temotu Neo Islands that lie to the North of Graciosa Bay.

NOTE: In this schedule:-

“Coast” means the low-water mark

“Map Reference” shall be construed by reference to the Lands and Surveys Maps of the Eastern Outer Islands scale 1: 50,000 with series X711 grid, deposited at the Office of Lands & Surveys, Honiara and at the council Office in Santa Cruz.

Made at Honiara this thirtieth day of May, 1996.

ALLAN QURUSU  
Ministry of Provincial Government

