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GOVERNMENT OF FIJI GAZETTE SUPPLEMENT**

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**No. 50**

**FRIDAY, 8th DECEMBER**

**2017**

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[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 105]

**CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI**  
*(Section 92(3))*

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**MINISTERIAL ASSIGNMENT**

To : Rear Admiral (Retired) Josaia Voreqe Bainimarama  
Prime Minister and Minister for iTaukei Affairs, Sugar Industry and Foreign Affairs

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 myself in my capacity as the Prime Minister, and Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Sugar Industry with effect from 24 September 2014, the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, divisions and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 43 of 2014;

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 myself in my capacity as the Prime Minister, and Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Sugar Industry with effect from 11 May 2015, the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, divisions and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 44 of 2015;

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 myself in my capacity as the Prime Minister, and Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Sugar Industry with effect from 1 August 2016, the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, divisions and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 55 of 2016;

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 myself in my capacity as the Prime Minister and Minister for iTaukei Affairs, Sugar Industry and Foreign Affairs with effect from 17 September 2016, the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, divisions and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 72 of 2016;

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 myself in my capacity as the Prime Minister and Minister for iTaukei Affairs, Sugar Industry, Foreign Affairs and Waterways with effect from 2 October 2017, the responsibility for the conduct of Government business, divisions and written laws specified in Legal Notice No. 91 of 2017;

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 11 December 2017, all assignments and responsibilities under Legal Notice No. 91 of 2017, and with effect from the same day assign to myself in my capacity as the Prime Minister and Minister for iTaukei Affairs, Sugar Industry and Foreign

Affairs, the responsibility for the conduct of the following Government business, divisions and written laws (subject to the provisions of any other written law)—

	<b>Business</b>	<b>Division</b>
(a)	<i>Office of the Prime Minister</i> Coat of Arms of Fiji Commissions of Inquiry Constitution of the Republic of Fiji Honours and Awards Other minority groups (e.g. Kioa Island, Melanesian Community) Peoples Charter Promissory Oath Rabi Island Affairs Rotuma and Rotuman Lands	<i>Office of the President</i>  <i>Office of the Prime Minister</i> Cabinet Office  Constitutional Offices Commission*  Mahogany Industry Council
(b)	<i>iTaukei Affairs</i> Disputes Resolution Education and Training <i>iTaukei Affairs</i> <i>iTaukei Fishing Rights</i> <i>iTaukei Lands</i>	<i>Ministry of iTaukei Affairs</i> <i>iTaukei Affairs Board</i> <i>iTaukei Land Trust Board</i> <i>iTaukei Development Fund Board</i> <i>iTaukei Fisheries Commission</i> <i>iTaukei Lands Appeals Tribunal</i> <i>iTaukei Lands Commission</i>
(c)	<i>Sugar Industry</i> Sugar Reform	<i>Ministry of Sugar Industry</i> Sugar Unit
(d)	<i>Immigration</i> Deportation Passports Immigration	<i>Department of Immigration</i>
(e)	<i>Foreign Affairs</i> Aid and Training Development Assistance Diplomatic Relations Foreign Affairs Marine Spaces (Exclusive Economic Zone) Treaties and Conventions	<i>Ministry of Foreign Affairs</i>     [Note: * indicates the responsibilities and is subject to any provision as to independence of office]

(f)	<p><i>Responsibility for all written laws regulating the following business of (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) above including in particular, the following Acts and the subsidiary laws made thereunder—</i></p> <p><i>Office of the Prime Minister</i></p> <p>Banaban Lands Act 1965  Banaban Settlement Act 1970  Coat of Arms of Fiji (Restriction of Use) Act 1972  Commissions of Inquiry Act 1946  Constitution of the Republic of Fiji  Diplomatic Missions and International Organisations Act 2016  Honours and Awards Act 1995  Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Act 1965  Parliamentary Remunerations Act 2014  Parliamentary Retirement Allowances Act 1989  Personal Accident Compensation for Members of Parliament Act 1997  Presidential Pensions Act 1994  Prime Minister’s Pensions Act 1994  Promissory Oaths Act 1956  Registration of Skilled Professionals Act 2016  Rotuma Act 1927  Rotuma Lands Act 1959  Titles of Office Act 1966</p>
	<p><i>iTaukei Affairs</i></p> <p>iTaukei Affairs Act 1944  iTaukei Development Fund Act 1965  iTaukei Lands Act 1905  iTaukei Land Trust Act 1940  iTaukei Trust Fund Act 2004</p>
	<p><i>Sugar Industry</i></p> <p>Attachment of Sugar Cane Debts Act 1940  Sugar Cane Growers Fund Act 1984  Sugar Industry Act 1984  Sugar Research Institute of Fiji Act 2005</p>
	<p><i>Immigration</i></p> <p>Citizenship of Fiji Act 2009  Diplomatic Missions and International Organisations Act 2016  Immigration Act 2003  Passports Act 2002</p>
	<p><i>Foreign Affairs</i></p> <p>Consular Conventions (Administration of Estates) Act 1972  Consular Privileges and Immunities Act 1972  Diplomatic Privileges and Immunities Act 1971  Marine Spaces Act 1977  Special Missions Privileges and Immunities Act 1972</p>

Dated this 8th day December 2017.

J. V. BAINIMARAMA  
Prime Minister

[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 106]

CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI  
(Section 92(3))

MINISTERIAL ASSIGNMENT

To : Dr Mahendra Reddy  
Minister for Waterways

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 assign to you with effect from 11 December 2017 in your capacity as the Minister for Waterways, the responsibility for the conduct of the following Government business, divisions and written laws (subject to the provisions of any other written law)—

	<b>Business</b>	<b>Division</b>
(a)	Waterways Drainage Irrigation Watershed Management	Ministry of Waterways Land and Water Resource Management
(b)	<i>Responsibility for all written laws regulating the following business of (a) above including in particular, the following Acts and the subsidiary laws made thereunder—</i>  Waterways Drainage Act 1961 Irrigation Act 1973	

Dated this 8th day December 2017.

J. V. BAINIMARAMA  
Prime Minister