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#### CONSTITUTION

### EXERCISE OF POWERS OF THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 149(4) of the Constitution and all other powers it enabling, hereby determines that the Deputy Prime Minister shall exercise its powers, functions, duties and responsibilities in—

- (a) advising the Head of State in respect of the making or approving of Regulations, Rules and By-Laws made under an Act of Parliament; and
- (b) considering draft Bills submitted for clearance for distribution to Parliament and authorizing their clearance; and
- (c) considering proposals for exemption from, or reduction of, customs duty under the Customs Tariff Act and advising the Head of State in respect of such proposals; and
- (d) deciding, under Section 42(a) of the Public Finances (Management) Act 1986 the acceptance of tenders over K300 000 and not exceeding K500 000; and
- (e) advising the Head of State, under Section 37(1) of the Public Finances (Management) Act 1986 in respect of the approval of the purposes of a loan for which it is proposed to give a guarantee by the State; and
- (f) advising the Head of State, under the Loans (Overseas Borrowings) (No. 2) Act, in respect of loans of less than K2 million.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1988.

P. WINGTI, Chairman, National Executive Council.