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THE QUEEN, has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Papua New Guinea Ministers, to signify her intention of conferring the Honour of Knighthood upon the undermentioned:

**Knight Commander (K.C.M.G.)**

*To be made a Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George*

The Rt Hon. Rabbie Namaliu, C.M.G. MP. For outstanding services to Public Service and to Politics.

**Knight Bachelor (Kt.)**

Honourable Justice Kubulan Los, C.B.E. For outstanding services to the Public Service and the Judiciary.

Mea Vai, C.B.E., I.S.O. For Services to Scouting and the Community.

THE QUEEN, has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Papua New Guinea Ministers, to give orders of the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

**C.M.G.**

*To be Ordinary Member of the Third Class, or Companion of the said Most Distinguished Order*

Honourable John Giheno. For Services to Politics.

THE QUEEN, has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Papua New Guinea Ministers to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:

**C.B.E.**

Mr Micah Pitpit. For Services to Public Services and the Judiciary.

**C.B.E.—continued**

Reverend Wala Tamate, O.B.E. For outstanding Services to Community and Church.

**O.B.E.**

*To be Ordinary Officers of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Ms Felicia Dobunaba. For Services to Women and Public Service.

Dr James Ferguson. For outstanding services to the Community.

Mr James Lamont. For services to Public Service.

Fr Adrian Francis Meaney. For outstanding services to Church and Community.

Mr Henry Saminga. For services to Education and Politics.

Mr David Natlkin Mulul. For Public Services and Education and Community.

*To be Ordinary Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Lt. Col. Ignatius Lai. For dedicated service to the Papua New Guinea Defence Force.

THE QUEEN, has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Papua New Guinea Ministers to give orders for the following appointment to the Imperial Service Order:

**I.S.O.**

Mr Lobe Ura Geno. For long and distinguished service to the Public Service, Auditing Profession and the Community.

**M.B.E.**

*To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:*

Chief Inspector Micah Anaiwe. For distinguished service to the State and the Royal Papua New Guinea Constabulary.

Mrs Katherine Han Ping Johnston. For recognition of her participation and involvement in Community Development Programme offered to Villages.

Mr Carl Jamal Bim Kalwan. For long and distinguished service of high order to the Public Service, Auditing and Accounting Profession.

Mr Malai Kama. For outstanding service to the People of Simbu Province.

Mr Maip Kei. For services to the Community.

Mr Make Kope. For services to the Community.

Mr Paul Maredei. For services to Community and the Community Government.

Chief Inspector Joseph Masa. For services to Community and Police Relations.

**M.B.E.—continued**

Mr Joseph Molealeng. For services to Government and Community.

Mr Jack Gamoga Nouairi. For long services to Public Service and Community.

Mr Robert Parer. For services to Business and Community.

Ms Joan Christine Vanariu. For dedicated Public Service.

Mr Mel Waipa. For distinguished service to Local Government Council and the Provincial Government.

Mr Kina Wulo. For services to Community and the Provinces as a whole.

Ms Pauline Onsa. For services to the Community.

Mrs Jacobeth Wanera. For loyal services to Teaching Career and to the Community.

Mr Arthur Ross Humphries. For services to Commerce and Industry.

Ms Anne Baloiloi Kerepia. For services to Women and the Community.

*To be made a Member of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:*

Chief Warrant Officer William Karive. For dedicated services to the Papua New Guinea Defence Force.

THE QUEEN, has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Papua New Guinea Ministers, to approve the awards of the British Empire Medal (Civil Division) to the undermentioned:

**B.E.M.**

Mr Liango Amaiu. For services to Community Government.

Mr Kambily Kaveta Angalu. For long services to Community, Church and Government.

Mr Aboa Bibomi. For services to Department of Works and the State.

Mr Godua Biri. For services to Department of Works.

Mr Koaru Fose. For loyal services to Papua New Guinea Government.

Mr Kinambo Yokone. For outstanding services to Law and Order and to the Government and Community.

First Constable Wipa Nemba. For distinguished services to the Royal Papua New Guinea Constabulary.

Mr Ogoave Sohembo. For long and loyal service to the State and the Constabulary.

**B.E.M.—continued**

Mr Bissar Udil. For services to the Community and the Local Level Government.

Mr Francis Savitas. For loyal service to Teaching Career and the Community.

THE QUEEN, has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Papua New Guinea Ministers, to approve the award of the Queen's Police Medal for Distinguished Services to the undermentioned:

**Queen's Police Medal (Q.P.M.)**

Chief Inspector Patrick Baiwan. For service to the Royal Papua New Guinea Constabulary Dog Unit.

**Queen's Fire Service Medal (Q.F.S.M.)**

Mr Numa Namona. For services to the Community, in particular Fire Prevention and Protection.

Mr Luke Barnabas. For services to the Community, in particular Fire Prevention and Protection.

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Independent State of Papua New Guinea

**LONG SERVICE AND GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL RECOMMENDATIONS**

I recommend that the following people who have satisfied the condition laid down in the Royal Warrant of 12th December, 1980 for the award of Papua New Guinea Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.

<p><b>Department of Sandaun (First Class)</b></p> <p>Arnold Lokowai Willie Mason Igas Wunum Michael Kiwen Francis Sakei Leo Yimiten Sinoksep Mepunsep</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Without Class</b></p> <p>Sinur Atang Tobias Welly Ignatius Litiki Peter Jigede Joseph Sio Felix Rotsomana Stephen Yigrin Peter Solo</p>	<p>Martha Apen Jacinta Kupe Lyn Imba Olivia Filfi Mary Martin Robby Uri Isidor Nonori Benedict Feni Anne Poivi Jacob Mandari Ume Mango Masi Tamasombo Davidi Kowi Simon Sissai Capistran Walmain Eddie Ababa Louis Feni Albert Tampe Vincent Isuran Binus Naugre</p>	<p>Igantius Aniyel Gabriel Chawan Mayok Ufelsep Kantrapnok Brilengim</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Office of Electoral Commission (Without Class)</b></p> <p>Poeware Tore Alphonse Yapen Alwnn Jimmy Rex Raio Au Kala Rawali Alva Guina Karo Kila Mango Yapino Openakale Tiane Boki Raga Cecily Vegogo</p>
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Dated this 5th day of September, 1995.

The Right Honourable Sir Julius CHAN, G.C.M.G., MP,  
Prime Minister.

**INSTRUMENT OF AWARD**

I hereby award Papua New Guinea Long Service and Good Conduct Medal to the persons named above in accordance with the Royal Warrant of 12th December, 1980.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1995.

His Excellency Sir WIWA KOROWI, G.C.M.G., K. St.J.,  
Governor-General.

*Consumer Affairs Councils Act 1993 and the Interpretation Act (Chapter 2)***REVOCATION AND APPOINTMENT OF MANAGING DIRECTOR**

I, Chris Haiveta, Minister for Finance, by virtue of the powers conferred upon me by Section 20 of the *Consumer Affairs Councils Act 1993*, the *Interpretation Act (Chapter 2)* Section 36 and all other powers me enabling hereby appoint Daniel Kapi as Executive Director of the Consumers Affairs Council for a term of three (3) years and revoke the appointment of Thomas Ume as Executive Director respectively to be effective on the date of gazettal.

Dated thid 21st day of December, 1995.

C.S. HAIVETA, MP,  
Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance.

*National Institute of Standards and Industrial Technology Act 1993***ESTABLISHMENT OF NATIONAL TECHNICAL STANDARDS**

I, Nakikus Konga, Minister for Commerce and Industry, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 41 of the *National Institute of Standards and Industrial Technology Act 1993* and all other powers me enabling, acting with, and in accordance with, the advice of the National Institute of Standards and Technology Council, hereby adopt as the National Technical Standards in respect of the commodity practice, process or a product specified in the Schedule the overseas standards set out in the Schedule with such modifications (if any) as are specified.

**SCHEDULE**

PNGs 1954-1995	....	....	The approval, filling, inspection, testing and maintenance of cylinders for Storage of compressed gases.
Part 1-1995	....	....	Cylinders for compressed gases other than acetylene (Being AS 2030 1-1989) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1655-1995	....	....	General requirements, inspection and tests-gas cylinders. (Being AS 2337 1-1989) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1656-1995	....	....	Pressure Piping Code. (Being AS 4041-1992) endorsed as PNG Standards with PNG Amendment.
PNGs 1657-1995	....	....	Bourdon tube pressure and vacuum gases. (Being AS 1349-1986) endorsed as PNG Standards with P.N.G. Amendment.
PNGs 1658-1995	....	....	Fuel containers -Portable-Plastics and metal. (Being AS 2906-1991) endorsed as PNG Standard.
PNGs 1659-1995	....	....	Laboratory glassware-Burettes
Part 1-1995	....	....	General requirements.
Part 2-1995	....	....	Burettes for which no waiting time is specified.
Part 3-1995	....	....	Burettes for which a waiting time of 30s is specified. (Being ISO 385 Parts 1-3-1984) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1660-1995	....	....	Laboratory glassware-Graduated pipettes
Part 1-1995	....	....	General requirements
Part 2-1995	....	....	Pipettes for which no waiting time is specified
Part 3-1995	....	....	Pipettes for which a waiting of 15s is specified
Part 4-1995	....	....	Blow-out pipettes (Being ISO 835 Parts 1-4-1981) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1661-1995	....	....	Specification for multi-trip glass bottles for beer and cider. (Being BS 6118-1981) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1662-1995	....	....	Glass bottle for carbonated soft drinks.
Part 1-1995	....	....	Specification for 750 ml and 1 litre multi-trip bottles. (Being BS 6119-1981) endorsed as PNG standards.
PNGs 1663-1995	....	....	Specification for manufacture of glass bottles for carbonated soft drinks including carbonated water. (Being BS 7367-1991) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1664-1995	....	....	Standard test method for polariscopic-Examination of glass containers. (Being ASTM C 148-1992) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1665-1995	....	....	Standards Test Methods for Volatile Loss from Plastics Using Activated Carbon Methods. (Being ANSI/ASTMD 1203) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1666-1995	....	....	Powdered Activated Carbon (Being ANSI/AWWA B600) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1667-1995	....	....	Granular Activated Carbon (Being ANSI/AWWA B604) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1668-1995	....	....	Pilot Studies on the Toxicity of Effluents from Conventional and Carbon Enhanced Treatment of Refinery Wastewater-Phase III. (Being API PUBL 958) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1669-1995	....	....	Standard Definitions of Terms Relating to Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D2652) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1670-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Apparent Density of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D2854) endorsed as PNG Standards.

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PNGs 1671-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Particle Size Distribution of Granular Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D2862) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1672-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Total Ash Content of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D2866 (R1988) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1673-1995	....	....	Standard Test Methods for Moisture in Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D2867) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1674-1995	....	....	Concentration and Recovery of Organic matter from water by Activated Carbon, Practice for. (Being ASTM D2910) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1675-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Ignition Temperature of Granular Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D3466 (R 1988) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1676-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Carbon Tetrachloride Activity of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D3467) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1677-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Ball-Pan Hardness of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D3802 (R 1990) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1678-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Nuclear-Grade Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D3803) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1679-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for pH of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D3838) (R 1990) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1680-1995	....	....	Standard Practice for Determination of Adsorptive Capacity of Activated Carbon by Aqueous Phase Isotherm Technique. (Being ASTM D3860 (REV A) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1681-1995	....	....	Standard Practice for Estimating the Operating Performance of Granular Activated Carbon for Removal of Soluable Pullutants from water. (Being ASTM D3922) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1682-1995	....	....	Standard specification for Impregnated, Activated Carbon Used to Remove Gaseous Radio-Iodines from Gas Stream. (Being ASTM D4069) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1683-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Determination of Iodine Number of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D4607) (R 1990) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1684-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Chlorofluorocarbon Activity of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D5020) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1685-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Water Solubles in Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D5029) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1686-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Determination of the Particle Size of Powered Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D5158) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1687-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Dusting Attrition of Granular Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D5159) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1688-1995	....	....	Standard Guide for Gas-Phase Adsorption Testing of Activated carbon (Being ASTM D5160) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1689-1995	....	....	Standard Test Method for Determination of Butane Working Capacity of Activated Carbon. (Being ASTM D5228) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1690-1995	....	....	Tentative Procedure for Measuring Water Extraction of Plasticized Sheeting-Activated Carbon Technique. (Being ANSI/SPII BE-112) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1691-1995	....	....	Food Microbiology.
Part 1-1995	....	....	General Procedures and Techniques practice.
Part 2-1995	....	....	Samples materials, equipment, laboratory. (Being AS 1766.1 1-1991) endorsed as PNG Standards.

**REVISED STANDARDS.**

PNGs 1422-1995	....	....	Onions-Guide to Storage. (Being ISO 1991) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1428-1995	....	....	Round-headed cabbage guide to Storage. (Being ISO 2167-1991) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1435-1995	....	....	Tomatoes-Guide to Storage. (Being ISO 5524-1991) endorsed as PNG Standards.
PNGs 1629-1995	....	....	Papua New Guinea Fire Code. (Being Sections of A, C, D, E, G3 H, Index of the Building Code of Australia plus Amdt 11-1995) endorsed as PNG Standards.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1995.

**N. KONGA,**  
Minister for Commerce and Industry.

*Fisheries Act 1994*

**WESTERN PROVINCE AND PNG TORRES STRAIT PROTECTED ZONE BECHE-DE-MER FISHERY  
MANAGEMENT PLAN**

THE NATIONAL FISHERIES AUTHORITY, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 39 of the *Fisheries Act 1994* and all other powers it enabling, hereby draw up the following fishery management plan to take effect on and from the date of approval of the Minister.

**1. CITATION.**

This plan may be cited as the Western Province and PNG Torres Strait Protection Zone Beche-de-mer Fishery Management Plan 1995 (the Fishery Plan).

**2. THE WESTERN PROVINCE AND PNG TORRES STRAIT PROTECTED ZONE BECHE-DE-MER FISHERY MANAGEMENT AREA.**

The Western Province and PNG Torres Strait Protected Beche-de-mer Fishery Management Area comprises all that area of waters in the Western Province and the waters of the Papua New Guinea jurisdiction of the Torres Strait Protected Zone (the Fishery Area).

**3. MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES.**

The objectives of the Fishery Plan are—

- (a) Maximise and maintain economic return to the traditional users of reefs in Western Province and the PNG jurisdiction of the Torres Strait Protected Zone;
- (b) Maintain Stocks at biological sustainable levels; and
- (c) Localise marketing and exporting.

**4. MANAGEMENT MEASURES.**

The following measures are to take effect immediately.

(a) Licensing arrangement.

- (i) A licensing system for the purchase of sedentary resources which will include beche-de-mer and trochus will be forced. The number of licenses issued will be reviewed as required. An initial number of three (3) storage facilities licenses, one for each company will be issued along with 3 export licenses (1 per company). Only companies with a 100% equity owned by the local fishers will be qualified to apply for buying and exporting of beche-de-mer and excepted by the screening committee.
- (ii) Processing and buying of beche-de-mer should be based in the village specified under the Torres Strait Treaty Area.
- (iii) To limit and control the effort, a numbering system for dinghies and canoe fishing for beche-de-mer will be established.

The permits will be issued by National Fisheries Authority based in Daru following a simple criteria of:

- (A) Dinghies and canoes are 100% owned by Western Province citizens of the Torres Strait Treaty Area (TSPZ) or adjacent areas;
- (B) Dinghies measure not more than 8m in length;
- (C) Only canoes of traditional design.
- (iv) Current regulations banning the use of large vessels throughout PNG will continue to apply in the Fishery Area as per National Gazette No.G71 of 3rd August, 1995. The dinghies and canoes will display the permit number on both sides while fishing. The permit number will be reported to the beche-de-mer buyer when selling the catch.

(b) Closed and Open Season.

- (i) A compulsory closed season for fishing from 1st November to 31st March for the Western Province and the PNG Torres Strait Protected Zone Management Area will be enforced to maximise the reproductive output.
- (ii) The Fishery will be open from 11th December, 1995 to 29th February, 1996, closed March, 1996, then closed every year afterwards from November to March.

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(iii) The open season for fishing would be during the wet season of the coastal mainland associated with South East trade winds (Monsoon winds) from April to October. The Fishery becomes closed as soon as the Total Allowable Catch is harvested as specified in Part 6 of this Fishery Plan.

**(c) Total Allowable Catch (TAC).**

- (i) A total allowable catch (TAC) at a level to be determined and reviewed each year will apply. The TAC will be determined by direct visual census method using appropriate transects or quadrat methods. The methods used will not have a precision of the estimate not more than 20%.
- (ii) The initial TAC is set at 30 tonnes for sandfish (*Holothuria scabra*) and 10 tonnes for other species present on the reef flat within the Fishery Area.

**(d) Size Limit.**

- (i) A Minimum size limit consistent with the current enforced minimum size limits as gazetted in the *National Gazette* No. G71 of 3rd August, 1995, under the *Fisheries Act 1994* will be enforced. The minimum size limit applies to both live specimens and dried products. Dried product means dried product ready for export for which about 90% water has been lost and 50% shrinkage has occurred during processing. The minimum size limits to the live specimen refers to the size of the animal when it is stationary and has been touched in its natural environment.
- (ii) The minimum size limits will be observed by the fishermen, buyers and exporters. All fishermen shall carry with them and use at all times an approved measuring instrument in every permitted dinghy and or canoe. The buyers and exporters will be responsible for buying sizes within the legal limits. Deliberate buying of undersize products may result in the termination of the license.
- (iii) Specified minimum sizes for Western Province will apply as soon as more biological information is available;

**(e) Quality Control.**

- (i) Quality standard and control will be maintained by the fishermen and exporters. To maintain a high quality product the processing method will be as outlined in the booklet titled "Beche-de-mer Processing and Marketing in Papua New Guinea" by Lokani and Kubohojam, (undated). Exporters will be responsible for educating and advising the fishermen on the processing methods for achieving the highest quality. The processing methods will be reviewed and improved as the need arises.
- (ii) Quality grading will involve a simple criteria based on appearance, odour and moisture. The appearance of the dried product will maintain the natural shape of the live specimen as much as possible. The odour of the final dried product will be a fresh fishy with no odour associated with the decomposition. Product ready for export will be dried with about 90% of the moisture lost through boiling and drying. The quality standard will include a grading criteria base on species and size as outlined in Table 1.

**Table 1**  
Grading of dried products ready for export based on Species and Size.

Species	Grade	Size	Remarks
Sandfish	Super	15.2 cm	6 pieces/kg
	A	12.7 cm	8 pieces/kg
	B	10.2 cm	15 pieces/kg
	C	7.6 cm	30 pieces/kg
	D	—	30 pieces/kg
White & Black teatfish	A	22.9 cm	—
	A	17.8 cm	—

**(f) Fishery Monitoring.**

- (i) Exporters buying direct from the fishermen will maintain records in a designated receipt format approved by the National Fisheries Authority. The receipt will be submitted to the Officer-In-Charge of Fisheries Research Office Daru for entry into a data base to be maintained by the Fisheries Research Office. The information will be used to monitor the fishery. Falsifying information may result in prosecution.



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- (ii) Records on the export will be maintained by the Fisheries Inspection and Surveillance office in Daru. This information will be submitted quarterly to the OIC Fisheries Research Office Daru for entry into a database to be maintained by the office.
- (iii) Exporters buying direct from the fishermen will be responsible for the accurate recording of all information in the receipt including the recording of the area fished. The receipt will in effect be a daily record sheet as a consecutively numbered form.

(g) **Economic Monitoring.**

To maintain the profitability of licensed buyer, the buyer will submit to the Officer-In-Charge of Fisheries Research in Daru at the end of each calendar month a summary of costs for that month.

**5. GEAR RESTRICTION.**

- (a) The exploitation of all species used in the production of beche-de-mer will be free diving. This is consistent with restrictions currently in force for exploitation of sedentary resources in PNG under the *Fisheries Act 1994* and the Regulations as gazetted in the *National Gazette* No. G71 of 3rd August, 1995. No Scuba, Hookah, use of surface light and any other specialised breathing apparatus will be used for exploitation of beche-de-mer in the Western Province and PNG Torres Strait Protected Zone Management Area.
- (b) Exploitation will be restricted to free diving, wading and walking on the reef flat. Dinghies and canoe captains breaching this regulation will be prosecuted and may lose their permits if successfully prosecuted.

**6. TORRES STRAIT TREATY.**

- (a) Licences will be revoked for buyers knowingly buying beche-de-mer from fishermen illegally fishing from the Australia Jurisdiction of the Warrior Reef.
- (b) Permits from fishermen illegally fishing on the Australian jurisdiction of the Warrior Reef will be revoked if the fishermen are successfully prosecuted under PNG laws and also under the relevant Commonwealth of Australia and Queensland's State laws.

**7. TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE.**

- (a) A Committee to be known as the Beche-de-mer Fishery Technical Committee shall be established. This Committee shall be appointed by the Minister for Fisheries and Chaired by a representative nominated by the Torres Strait Resources Owners.
- (b) The function of the Committee will be to advise the Senior Management Committee (SMC) of the National Fisheries Authority (NFA) on the management and development matters of the fishery and on updating the management plan. Its task shall be to meet biannually and report to the SMC of the NFA its recommendations. Except in an emergency, the Committee may meet to deliberate on the situation at hand.
- (c) The Committee shall comprise the following—
  - (i) a representative of the Torres Strait Resources owners (Chairman);
  - (ii) the Provincial Fisheries Officer for Western Province;
  - (iii) the Assistant Secretary for Department of Primary Industry;
  - (iv) a Councillor from each treaty village;
  - (v) a fishermen representative;
  - (vi) an exporters representative;
  - (vii) the OIC for Inspection and Surveillance in Daru;
  - (viii) the OIC for Fisheries Research and Survey in Daru;
- (d) The secretarial duties of the Committee will be carried out by the National Fisheries Authority through its office in Daru;
- (e) The Technical Committee and any other Committee involved such as the Integrated Coastal Fisheries Management Committee by the SPC shall report to the Senior Management Committee of the National Fisheries Authority.

Dated this 11th day of December, 1995.

D. RENTON,  
National Fisheries Authority.

Approved this 11th day of December, 1995.

T. PHILEMON,  
Minister for Fisheries.

*Fisheries Act 1994***GULF OF PAPUA FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN**

THE NATIONAL FISHERIES AUTHORITY, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 39 of the *Fisheries Act 1994* and all other powers it enabling, hereby draw up the following fishery management plan to take effect on and from the date of approval of the Minister.

**1. CITATION.**

This plan may be cited as the Gulf of Papua Prawn Fishery Management Plan 1996. (the Fishery Plan).

**2. REVOCATION OF FISHERY PLAN 1995.**

The Gulf of Papua Prawn Fishery Management Plan 1995 (the Fishery Plan 1995) gazetted in *National Gazette* No. G41 dated 27th April, 1995 is revoked;

**3. GULF OF PAPUA PRAWN FISHERY MANAGEMENT AREA.**

The Gulf of Papua Prawn Fishery Management Area comprises all the area of the Gulf of Papua commencing on west at the point of latitude 9 degrees 0 minute 0 second south (9.00'00"S), longitude 143 degrees 27 minutes 0 second East (143.27'00"E), being a point off Parama Island, thence run east along the line of latitude 9 degrees 0 minute 0 second south (9.00'00"S), to the point of latitude 9 degrees 0 minute 0 second south (9.00'00"S), longitude 146 degrees 36 minutes 0 second east (146.36'00"E), being a point north-west of Cape Suckling (the Fishery Area).

**4. MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES.**

- (a) to protect recruit-sized prawns in areas which are fishery recruitment windows for banana and tiger prawn;
- (b) to conserve and enhance stocks of demersal fish in the prawn trawl grounds; and
- (c) to provide an opportunity for repair and maintenance.

**5. MANAGEMENT MEASURES.**

The following measures are to take effect immediately—

**(a) Timed Area Closure.**

A timed area closure from 1st January to 15th April shall be observed to enhance the growth and survival of new recruits where they enter the fishery, allow industry to continue fishing in adjacent areas and thereby facilitate their short-term economic survival, and to provide opportunity for vessel and gear repair, and maintenance during closure.

**(b) Area of Closure.**

The boundaries for the closed area are as follows:—

**(i) Northern Boundary;**

The coastline from the southern point of Cape Blackwood to Cape Cupola in the east;

**(ii) Western Boundary;**

The line 144 degrees 28 minutes 0 second east (144.28'00"E), from the southern point of Cape Blackwood, to the latitude 8 degrees 12 minutes 0 second south (8.12'00"S);

**(iii) Southern Boundary;**

The line 8 degrees 12 minutes 0 second south (8.12'00"S), from 144 degrees 28 minutes 0 seconds east (144.28'00"E), to 145 degrees 50 minutes 0 seconds east (145.50'00"E);

**(iv) Eastern Boundary;**

The line from 145 degrees 50 minutes 0 seconds east from 8 degrees 12 minutes south to Cape Cupola.

**(c) Timing and Duration for future Closed Season.**

The timing and duration of the closed season will be adjusted annually on the basis of results of the annual research and monitoring programme of the Authority. The Industry will assist the monitoring each year by making three vessels (one vessel at any one time) available which will retain their catch. The monitoring will be according to a programme of research that will be detailed by the Authority, based on the method of transect survey with depth.

**Gulf of Papua Fishery Management Plan—continued**

- (d) **Three-mile Area.**  
Areas of the three-mile limit in the Fishery Area will remain closed to trawl fishing. Fishing will only be allowed seaward outside three-mile from the low water-line.
- (e) **Reduction of Fishing Effort.**  
Reducing fishing effort by a reduction of the number of licenses; 14 licenses in 1995 (preference will be given to the resource owners); reduce to 13 licenses by 1998 (preference will be given to the resource owners).
- (f) **Funding of Research and Management of the Fishery Area.**  
In the long-term, the Prawn Fishing Industry will fund research and management of the Gulf of Papua Prawn Fishery. A standalone (independently-run) prawn management unit will be established under a memorandum of agreement between Industry and Government. Staff will be selected jointly by an equally-represented committee of Industry and Government. Funding will be partly from Government and partly from Industry. There will be defined management objectives and plans for achieving them, and prioritisation of the objectives. Fisheries sociological aspects will also be addressed. The unit will utilise the existing resources of the Authority for trials of new fishing technology and analysis of data. Fishing vessels may be chartered for agreed periods to monitor the recruitment and migration of juveniles. The prawn management unit would be based in Port Moresby. In consultation with Industry, terms of reference, objectives and sources of funding are to be drawn up.
- (g) **Estimation of Maximum Economic Yield (MEY).**  
To facilitate the estimation of maximum economic yield, prawn operators will be required, at the close of each calendar year, to submit their average costs per trawl hour in the calendar year, to the Executive Director, National Fisheries Authority.
- (h) **Vessel Tracking System.**  
Upon recommendation of the Authority, all prawn fishing vessels will be required to carry tracking devices to enable radio position fixing by the Authority in Port Moresby. These tracking devices will also facilitate management and increase safety in navigation.
- (i) **Prawn Stock in the Fishery Area.**  
Prawns in the Gulf of Papua will be managed as one stock from Parama Island to Caps Suckling, though it is recognised that there is some localisation of stock in both the Fly River and Freshwater Bay areas of the Gulf of Papua.

**6. EXEMPTION FROM FISHING EFFECT.**

The two vessels currently licensed to trawl for prawn in both the waters of Torres Strait and Western Province (which are of less than 22m overall length) will be permitted to trawl in the Fly River areas of the Fishery Area from 16th April to 31st December, and to have a joint licences for Torres Strait water (PNG Area of Jurisdiction).

Dated this 11th day of December, 1995.

D. RENTON,  
National Fisheries Authority.

Approved this 11th day of December, 1995.

T. PHILEMON,  
Minister for Fisheries.

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**Income Tax Act 1959 as amended****LODGEMENT OF TAXATION RETURNS**

I, James Loko, Commissioner-General of Internal Revenue (hereinafter referred to as "the Commissioner-General"), by virtue of the powers conferred by the Papua New Guinea *Income Tax Act 1959* as amended (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and all other powers me enabling, hereby require returns of all income derived during the year ended on the 31st December 1995, (or the accounting period, if any, adopted with the leave of the Commissioner-General in lieu of that year), to be furnished to me on such of the forms provided for the purpose as are applicable, containing the information and particulars mentioned or referred to in the relevant forms, and verified by declarations as therein set forth, and accompanied by all such balance sheets, profit and loss accounts, statements and other documents as are mentioned in the forms or as are requisite, at the appropriate places, on or before the dates hereinafter stated.

## Lodgement of Taxation Returns—continued

Persons Required to Furnish Returns	Returns to be lodged or or before
(1) Every person resident in Papua New Guinea whose total income from all sources, both in and out of Papua New Guinea (other than repatriation, age and invalid pensions and other exempt income as defined in the Act) included income derived by way of salary or wages where that salary or those wages were not subject to salary or wages tax in accordance with the Act and the <i>Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979</i> as amended.	28th February, 1996
(2) Every person resident in Papua New Guinea who derived a capital amount, being an allowance, gratuity, compensation or distribution from a superannuation fund, which is deemed to be salary and wages in whole or in part because that allowance, etc, was paid in consequence of retirement from or the termination of, an office or employment.	28th February, 1996
(3) Every person resident in Papua New Guinea who derived housing allowance or any other allowance not fully taxed, which was deemed to be salary or wages subject to salary or wages tax in accordance with the Act and the <i>Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979</i> as amended.	28th February, 1996
(4) Except as provided in this item, every person resident in Papua New Guinea, whose total income from all sources, both in and out of Papua New Guinea (other than income specifically exempted from tax in the Act) consists of or includes income derived by way of investment, or income so deemed by virtue of the Act, including rent, interest, annuities, dividends, or income by way of royalties or other income from any sources which is not otherwise itemised in this Notice, where that income (when taken together with any other income in this Notice and income derived by way of salary or wages, if any, whether or not subjected to salary or wages tax in accordance with the <i>Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979</i> as amended, was in excess of K3 000,	28th February, 1996
provided that—	
a person resident in Papua New Guinea who derived income other than salary or wages, described in this Item as investment income, where that income is gross before allowance of any deductions, rebates or credits, and does not exceed K100, is not required to lodge a return of income unless especially requested to do so by the Commissioner-General.	
(5) Every person resident in Papua New Guinea whose total income from all sources both in out of Papua New Guinea, derived wholly or partly from personal exertion (other than in the capacity of an employee) from a source which is a business in the ordinary acceptation of that term or within the ordinary meaning of that term, including a professional business, where that income (when taken together with any other item of income in this Notice and income derived by way of salary or wages, if any, whether or not subjected to salary or wages tax in accordance with the <i>Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979</i> as amended), was in excess of K3 000.	28th February, 1996
(6) Every person resident in Papua New Guinea being or having been a member of a partnership (other than a company) whose total income from the partnership, when taken together with income from all other sources both in and out of Papua New Guinea, including any other item of income in this Notice and income derived by way of salary or wages, if any, whether or not subjected to salary or wages tax in accordance with the <i>Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979</i> as amended was in excess of K3 000.	28th February, 1996
(7) Every person resident in Papua New Guinea whose total income from a Papua New Guinea trust estate or a foreign trust estate, when taken together with income from all other sources both in and out of Papua New Guinea including any other item of income in this Notice and income derived by way of salary or wages, if any, whether or not subjected to salary or wages tax in accordance with the <i>Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979</i> as amended, was in excess of K3 000.	28th February, 1996
(8) Every trust estate or trustee of a trust estate, including a Papua New Guinea trust estate or the trustee thereof, which is or has been resident in Papua New Guinea whose total income derived from all sources in and out of Papua New Guinea was in excess of K1.	28th February, 1996
(9) Every company resident in Papua New Guinea whose total income derived from all sources, both in and out of Papua New Guinea, was in excess of K2.	28th February, 1996
(10) Every non-resident person (other than a company) whose total income derived from all sources in Papua New Guinea including income derived by way of salary or wages, if any, whether or not subjected to salary or wages tax in accordance with the <i>Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979</i> as amended, was in excess of K1,	28th February, 1996
provided that the following persons are not required to lodge a return of income—	
a non-resident person whose income from Papua New Guinea sources consisted solely of dividends which have borne Papua New Guinea dividend (withholding) tax or whose sole income from Papua New Guinea sources was from a prescribed contract and such income has borne Papua New Guinea foreign contractors (withholding) tax.	
(11) Every trust estate, or foreign trust estate, or the trustee thereof, which is not a resident of Papua New Guinea whose total income derived from all sources in Papua New Guinea was in excess of K1.	28th February, 1996
(12) Every non-resident company whose total income derived from all sources in Papua New Guinea was in excess of K2, provided that the following companies are not required to lodge a return of income—	28th February, 1996
a non-resident company whose income from Papua New Guinea consisted solely of dividends which have borne Papua New Guinea dividend (withholding) tax or whose sole income from Papua New Guinea was from a prescribed contract and such income has borne Papua New Guinea foreign contractors (withholding) tax.	
(13) Every provident, benefit or superannuation fund being resident in Papua New Guinea whose total income derived from all sources in or out of Papua New Guinea, or where non-resident whose total income derived from all sources in Papua New Guinea, in each case, exceeds K2.	28th February, 1996

**Lodgement of Taxation Returns—continued**

Persons Required to Furnish Returns	Returns to be lodged or or before
(14) Every public authority for the purposes of Section 24(3) of the Act, prescribed as being taxable, whose total income derived from all sources exceeds K2.	28th February, 1996
(15) Every religious and charitable institution, whether or not exempt from income tax, whose income from any business or commercial undertaking in or out of Papua New Guinea exceeds K2.	30th April, 1996
(16) Every provincial government, local government and local level government body, by whatever name known, whose income from any business or commercial undertaking or activity, other than from the provision of normal council services, exceeds K2.	30th April, 1996

Every partnership is required to lodge a return showing the income of the partnership and the return is required to be furnished on or before 28th February 1996 by the partner resident in Papua New Guinea or by any one of them. Where there is no partner resident in Papua New Guinea, the return is required to be furnished by the agent in Papua New Guinea for the partnership.

A return of the total income of every trust is required to be furnished, on or before 28th February, 1996 by the trustees thereof resident in Papua New Guinea or by any one of them. Where there is no trustee resident in Papua New Guinea, the return is required to be furnished by the agent in Papua New Guinea for the trustee.

A training levy return is required to be furnished, on or before 28th February, 1996 by every employer whose annual payroll is over K100,000 during the year ended 31st December, 1995.

Every agent for a principal, whether resident, or non-resident, is required to furnish a return demanded of his principal.

A return of the amounts paid or payable in or out of Papua New Guinea in respect of the carriage of passengers, livestock, mails or goods shipped in Papua New Guinea in a ship belonging to or chartered by a person whose principal place of business is out of Papua New Guinea is to be furnished by the master of the ship or the agent or other representative in Papua New Guinea of the owner or charterer. Such return showing the amounts paid or payable during the year ended 31st December, 1995 is required to be furnished on or before 30th April, 1996.

Every company is required to furnish in addition to the return of income, separate statements to accompany the return showing—

- (a) the name and address of each company, whether resident or non-resident, to which dividends, royalties, management fees and/or interest was paid or credited, and the amount paid or credited during the period covered by the return.
- (b) the name and address of each individual taxpayer, whether resident or non-resident, to whom dividends, royalties, management fees and/or interest in excess of K500 were paid or credited, and the amount paid or credited to each during the period covered by the return.
- (c) the total amount of interest paid or credited, during the period covered by the return, to debenture holders who are not residents of Papua New Guinea on money secured by debentures of the company, and used in Papua New Guinea, or used in acquiring assets for use or disposal in Papua New Guinea, and to depositors who are not residents of Papua New Guinea on money lodged at interest in Papua New Guinea with the company.
- (d) the total amount of interest paid or credited during the period covered by the return, in respect of debentures payable to bearer, the names and addresses of the holders of which are not supplied to the Commissioner-General.
- (e) the name and address of each non-resident insurance company or insurer with whom an insurance contract has been entered into and the amount of the insurance premium paid to them during the period covered by the return.
- (f) in the case of insurance companies reinsuring with non-residents—
  - (i) the name and address of the non-resident reinsurer
  - (ii) the amount of the premiums paid or credited to each such insurer during the period covered by the return.
  - (iii) whether an election in terms of Section 209(2) of the Act is enclosed.

Every person or institution holding money lodged at interest in Papua New Guinea is required to furnish, in addition to their return of income, a statement showing the name and address of each depositor to whom interest in excess of K500 was paid or credited and the amount of interest paid or credited to each depositor during the year ended 31st December, 1995.

Failure to duly furnish any of the required returns render the person concerned liable to a penalty of not less than K100 or more than K2000 as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction plus K50 for each day during which the failure continues.

*Note:* Where a taxpayer has an approved substituted accounting period the final day of that substituted accounting should be understood, for the purposes of this notice, as applying wherever this notice uses the words "31st December, 1994".

Dated this 13th day of December, 1995.

J. LOKO,  
Commissioner-General of Internal Revenue.

*National Parks Act (Chapter 157)*

**DETERMINATION OF BAIYER RIVER SANCTUARY FEES**

I, Iamo Ila, Director of National Parks, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the National Parks Regulation (Chapter 157) and all other powers me enabling, hereby determine that the fees as specified in the Schedule hereto are the fees for admission to Baiyer River Sanctuary in the Western Highlands Province, to become effective on and from 1st November, 1995.

Determination of Baiyer River River Sanctuary Fees—*continued*

## SCHEDULE

*Baiyer River Sanctuary—Western Highlands Province*

Entrance Fee	K
Adults—Citizens	2.00 per person
Adults—Non-Citizens	5.00 per person
Students—Citizens	0.50 per person
*Students—Non-Citizens	1.00 per person
(For all tertiary institutions, e.g. Colleges and Universities)	
National Schools and International Schools	200 per year or 50 per visit
Taxis	15.00 per vehicle
Tourist Buses and P.M.Vs	100.00 per vehicle for 10 or more passengers 50.00 per vehicle for carrying less than 10 passengers
Movie Photographing/Commercial Photographing or Filming.	250.00 per day

Note: All children under 12 years of age are free of Charge from the Entrance Fee.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1995.

I. ILA,  
Director for National Parks.

*National Parks Act (Chapter 157)*

## DETERMINATION OF VARIRATA NATIONAL PARK FEES

I, Iamo Ila, Director of National Parks, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the National Parks Regulation (Chapter 157) and all other powers me enabling, hereby determine that the fees as specified in the Schedule hereto are the fees for admission to Varirata National Park of Sogeri District, Central Province to become effective on and from 1st November, 1995.

## SCHEDULE

*Varirata National Park—Sogeri District*

Entrance Fee	K
Adults—Citizens	2.00 per person
Adults—Non-Citizens	5.00 per person
Students—Citizens	0.50 per person
*Students—Non-Citizens	1.00 per person
(For all tertiary institutions, e.g. Colleges and Universities)	
National Schools and International Schools	200 per year or 50 per visit
Taxis	15.00 per vehicle
Tourist Buses and P.M.Vs	100.00 per vehicle for 10 or more passengers 50.00 per vehicle for carrying less than 10 passengers
Camping per night	10.00 per person
Lodge 1: Double bed per night	20.00 per person
2. Single bed per night	12.00 per person
Movie Photographing/Commercial Photographing or Filming.	250.00 per day

Note: All children under 12 years of age are free of Charge from the Entrance Fee.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1995.

I. ILA,  
Director for National Parks.

*National Parks Act (Chapter 157)***DETERMINATION OF MOITAKA WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES FEES**

I, Iamo Ila, Director of National Parks, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the National Parks Regulation (Chapter 157) and all other powers me enabling, hereby determine that the fees as specified in the Schedule hereto are the fees for admission to Moitaka Wildlife Sanctuary in the National Capital District, to become effective on and from 1st November, 1995.

**SCHEDULE***Moitaka Wildlife Sanctuaries—National Capital District*

Entrance Fee	K
Adults—Citizens	2.00 per person
Adults—Non-Citizens	5.00 per person
Students—Citizens	0.50 per person
*Students—Non-Citizens	1.00 per person
(For all tertiary institutions, e.g. Colleges and Universities)	
National Schools and International Schools	200 per year or 50 per visit
Taxis	15.00 per vehicle
Tourist Buses and P.M.Vs	100.00 per vehicle for 10 or more passengers 50.00 per vehicle for carrying less than 10 passengers
Still Photographing inside cages	5.00 per cage
Movie Photographing/Commercial Photographing or Filming.	250.00 per cage
Hire of Animals	50.00 per animal

*Note:* All children under 12 years of age are free of Charge from the Entrance Fee.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1995.

I. ILA,  
Director for National Parks.

*Magisterial Services Act (Chapter 43)***APPOINTMENT OF MAGISTRATE**

I, Ranu Kidu, Acting Chief Magistrate, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 6 of the *Magisterial Services Act* (Chapter 43), and all other powers me enabling, hereby appoint Morris Hotsia to be Magistrate Grade 1 to take effect on and from the date of signature of this instrument.

Dated this 30th day of November, 1995.

R. KIDU,  
Acting Chief Magistrate.

*Magisterial Services Act (Chapter 43)***APPOINTMENT OF MAGISTRATE**

I, Ranu Kidu, Acting Chief Magistrate, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 6 of the *Magisterial Services Act* (Chapter 43), and all other powers me enabling, hereby appoint Patrick Monouluk to be Magistrate Grade 1 to take effect on and from the date of signature of this instrument.

Dated this 30th day of November, 1995.

R. KIDU,  
Acting Chief Magistrate.

*Magisterial Services Act (Chapter 43)***APPOINTMENT OF MAGISTRATE**

I, Ranu Kidu, Acting Chief Magistrate, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 6 of the *Magisterial Services Act* (Chapter 43), and all other powers me enabling, hereby appoint Max Haeambo to be Magistrate Grade 2 to take effect on and from the date of signature of this instrument.

Dated this 30th day of November, 1995.

R. KIDU,  
Acting Chief Magistrate.

*Magisterial Services Act (Chapter 43)***APPOINTMENT OF ACTING CLERK OF COURT**

I, Ranu Kidu, Acting Chief Magistrate, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 6 of the *Magisterial Services Act* (Chapter 43), and all other powers me enabling, hereby appoint Anthony Bauwai as acting Clerk of Port Moresby Children's Court in the National Capital District with effect on and from 8th December, 1995 up to and including 6th February, 1996.

Dated this 30th day of November, 1995.

R. KIDU,  
Acting Chief Magistrate.

Gaming Machine Act 1993**ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT**

NOTICE is hereby given that Jabarnardi Pty Ltd, P.O. Box 1029, Mt Hagen has made application to the National Gaming Control Board on 28th December, 1995 for a Permit in respect of premises at Section 12, Lot 4, Shop 2, Mt Hagen.

Any person wishing, in accordance with Part IV of the *Gaming Machine Act 1993*, to object to the application should give written notice to the Registrar at P.O. Box 3378, Boroko, on or before Thursday, 11th January, 1996.

The application will be heard at 0900 hrs on Friday, 12th January 1996 at Boardroom, Airways Hotel, Port Moresby.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1995.

M. F. MOIR-BUSSY,  
Registrar, National Gaming Control Board.

Gaming Machine Act 1993**ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT**

NOTICE is hereby given that Budoa Investment Pty Ltd, t/a Plumes & Arrows P.O. Box 86, Mt Hagen has made application to the National Gaming Control Board on 28th December, 1995 for a Permit in respect of premises at Kagamuga.

Any person wishing, in accordance with Part IV of the *Gaming Machine Act 1993*, to object to the application should give written notice to the Registrar at P.O. Box 3378, Boroko, on or before Thursday, 11th January, 1996.

The application will be heard at 0900 hrs on Friday, 12th January 1996 at Boardroom, Airways Hotel, Port Moresby.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1995.

M. F. MOIR-BUSSY,  
Registrar, National Gaming Control Board.

Gaming Machine Act 1993**ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR A GAMING MACHINE TECHNICIAN'S LICENCE**

NOTICE is hereby given that Edward Yapp of P.O. Box 3200, Boroko, NCD., has made application to the National Gaming Control Board on 28th December, 1995 for a Gaming Machine Technician's Licence.

Any person wishing, in accordance with Part IV of the *Gaming Machine Act 1993*, to object to the application should give written notice to the Registrar at P.O. Box 3378, Boroko, on or before Thursday, 11th January, 1996.

The application will be heard at 0900 hrs on Friday, 12th January 1996 at Boardroom, Airways Hotel, Port Moresby.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1995.

M. F. MOIR-BUSSY,  
Registrar, National Gaming Control Board.

Gaming Machine Act 1993**ADVERTISEMENT OF APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT**

NOTICE is hereby given that Billy Moli (Waghi Restaurant) of P.O. Box 180, Banz has made application to the National Gaming Control Board on 28th December, 1995 for a Permit in respect of premises at Banz.

Any person wishing, in accordance with Part IV of the *Gaming Machine Act 1993*, to object to the application should give written notice to the Registrar at P.O. Box 3378, Boroko, on or before Thursday, 11th January, 1996.

The application will be heard at 0900 hrs on Friday, 12th January 1996 at Boardroom, Airways Hotel, Port Moresby.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1995.

M. F. MOIR-BUSSY,  
Registrar, National Gaming Control Board.

Land Registration Act (Chapter 191)**ISSUE OF OFFICIAL COPY OF CERTIFICATE OF TITLE**

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen clear days from the date of publication of this Notice, it is my intention to issue an Official Copy of the Title referred to in the Schedule below under Section 162 of *Land Registration Act (Chapter 191)*, it having been shown to my satisfaction that the registered proprietor's copy has been lost or destroyed.

SCHEDULE

State Lease Volume 19, Folio 4674, evidencing a State Lease in all that piece or parcel of land known as Allotment 9, Section 24, Granville in the National Capital District containing an area of 1 rood, 23.5 perches be the same a little more or less the registered proprietor of which is PNG Adventist Association Limited.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1995.

K. LAVI,  
Deputy Registrar of Titles.

Land Registration Act (Chapter 191)**ISSUE OF OFFICIAL COPY OF STATE LEASE**

NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen clear days from the date of publication of this Notice, it is my intention to issue an Official Copy of the Title referred to in the Schedule below under Section 162 of *Land Registration Act (Chapter 191)*, it having been shown to my satisfaction that the registered proprietor's copy has been lost or destroyed.

SCHEDULE

State Lease Volume 96, Folio 35 being Allotment 7, Section 1, Salamaua Government Station, Morobe Province containing an area of 0.0600 hectares a little more or less the registered proprietor of which is Garth Grieson Holdaway, (A Medical Practitioner).

Dated this 30th day of October, 1995.

K. LAVI,  
Deputy Registrar of Titles.

District Courts Act (Chapter 40)**APPOINTMENT OF RESERVE MAGISTRATE**

I, Ranu Kidu, Acting Chief Magistrate, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 3 (1) of the *District Courts Act (Chapter 40)*, and all other powers me enabling, and being of the opinion that it is necessary and in the interests of the effective and speedy administration of Justice so to do, hereby appoint Robert Teko to be a Reserve Magistrate of the District Court to effect on and from the date of signature of this instrument.

Dated this 14th day of November, 1995.

R. KIDU,  
Acting Chief Magistrate.

Minister's (Delegation) Act (Chapter 35)**NOTICE OF MINISTERIAL DELEGATION**

I, Sir Albert Kipalan, KBE., LLB., MP., Minister for Lands and Physical Planning, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 25 of the *Minister's Powers (Delegation) Act (Chapter 35)*, and all other powers me enabling, hereby revoke all my powers and functions under the *Land Act (Chapter 185)* as amended to the Assistant Secretary, Division of Lands, Department of East New Britain (John Brown), East New Britain Province.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1995.

Sir Albert KIPALAN, KBE., LLB., MP.,  
Minister for Lands and Physical Planning.



Water Resources Act (Chapter 205)**APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR**

I, Paul Mambai, Minister for Environment, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 8 of the *Water Resources Act* (Chapter 205), and all other powers me enabling, hereby appoint Narua Lovai to be Director of Water Resources.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1995.

P. MAMBEI,  
Minister for Environment.

Petroleum Act (Chapter 198)**APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A PETROLEUM PROSPECTING LICENCE (APPL 186)**

IT is notified that Worldwide Gold Resources Limited of P.O. Box 7083, Redland Bay, Qld., 4165, Australia has applied for the grant of a Petroleum Prospecting Licence over 95 graticular blocks within an area of the Northern Province and more particularly described by the block numbers in the Schedule hereunder.

SCHEDULE*Description of Blocks*

All blocks listed hereunder can be identified by the map titles and section numbers as shown on graticular section maps (1:1 000 000) prepared and published under the authority of the Minister and available at the Department of Mining & Petroleum, Port Moresby.

**MAP IDENTIFICATION***Block Numbers:*

Lae S.B. 55: 3286-3296, 3358-3368, 3430-3440  
Port Moresby S.C. 55: 45-56, 118-128, 191-200, 263-272, 335-344, 407-416.

All blocks are inclusive.

The total number of the blocks in the application is 95 and all are inclusive. The application is registered as APPL 186.

Any person who claims to be affected by this application may file notice of his/her objections with the Director, care of Principal Petroleum Registrar, Private Mail Bag, Post Office, Port Moresby, within one month after the date of publication of this Notice in the *Papua New Guinea National Gazette*.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1995.

R. B. MOAINA,  
Director, *Petroleum Act*.

Land Act (Chapter 185)**NOTICE OF RESERVATION UNDER SECTION 25**

I, John A. Painap, OBE., A delegate of the Minister for Lands, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 25 of the *Land Act* (Chapter 185), and all other powers me enabling, hereby "Reserve" the right of occupancy to Department of Agriculture and Livestock—Agriculture Quarantine Division—Staff Residences over the land described in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE

All that land described as Portion 698, Milinch Granville, National Capital District containing an area of 12.546 hectares or more or less in Survey Plan No. 49/963 in the Department of Lands File: Certificate of Reservation of Occupancy No. 2068 S/R.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1995.

J. A. PAINAP, OBE.,  
A delegate of the Minister for Lands.

Magisterial Services Act (Chapter 43)**APPOINTMENT OF SENIOR PROVINCIAL MAGISTRATES**

I, Ranu Kidu, Acting Chief Magistrate, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 8 of the *Magisterial Services Act* (Chapter 43), and all other powers me enabling, hereby appoint the following persons to be a Senior Provincial Magistrate for each Province as specified in the Schedule for a period commencing on and from 31st December, 1995 up to and including 31st December, 1996.

SCHEDULE

Provinces	Magistrates
National Capital District	Seri Seneka
Gulf	Mekeo Gauli
Central	Gami Madu
Milne Bay	Luke Vava
Western	Jeffers Wia
Northern (Oro)	George Manuhu
Morobe	Luther Wenge
Madang	Cosmas Bidar
East Sepik	Richard Koronai
West Sepik	Richard Cherake
Enga	Peter Sapake
Western Highlands	Marcus Bayam
Chimbu	Martin Loi
Eastern Highlands	Salatiest Lenalia
Southern Highlands	Mark Pupaka
Manus	Himson Waninara
New Ireland	Orim Karapo
East New Britain	Silas Sarnuel
North Solomons	Francis Tenge
West New Britain	Sition Passingan
Vanuatu	Regett Marum

Dated this 20th day of November, 1995.

R. KIDU,  
Acting Chief Magistrate.

Oaths, Affirmation and Statutory Declarations Act (Chapter 317)**APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS**

I, Arnold K. Marsipal, OBE., MP., Minister for Justice and State Minister assisting the Prime Minister, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 12 of the *Oaths, Affirmation and Statutory Declarations Act* (Chapter 317), and all other powers me enabling, hereby appoint the persons named below to be Commissioner for Oaths:—

Raphael Ki Aure	Sevese Maiva
Denny Mandika	Margaret Lingas
Salvianus Amai	Elsa Bata
Baka Bina	Thomas Reto

Dated this 19th day of December, 1995.

A. K. MARSIPAL, OBE., MP.,  
Minister for Justice & State Minister Assisting the Prime Minister.

National Judicial Staff Service Act 1987 (as amended)**NOTICE OF REVOCATION AND APPOINTMENT OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL**

I, Arnold Karibone Amet, Chief Justice, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 18 (2) of the *National Judicial Staff Service Act* 1987 (as amended), and all other powers me enabling, hereby revoke the appointment of Hon. Justice Gibuma Gibbs Salika and appoint Stephen Oli, Magistrate Grade Five to be the Appeal Tribunal of the National Judicial Staff Service with effect from the date of this instrument.

Dated this 7th day of December, 1995.

Sir Arnold Karibone AMET,  
Chief Justice.

**DECLARATION OF OFFICE**

I, Stephen Oli, do promise and declare that I will well and truly serve the Independent State of Papua New Guinea and its People in the office of The Appeal Tribunal under the *National Judicial Staff Service Act 1987* (as amended).

Dated this 7th day of December, 1995.

Signed,  
Stephen Oli.

Before The Chief Justice pursuant to Section 18 (3) of the *National Judicial Staff Service Act 1987* (as amended)

Sir Arnold Karibone AMET,  
Chief Justice.

*Physical Planning Act (No. 32 of 1989)***MOROBE PROVINSSEL FISIKEL PLENNIN BOD**

IN accordance to the provisions contained in Section 20 (1), (a), (b), (c) and (d) the following office holders shall be appointed as members to the incoming Morobe Provinsel Fisikel Plennin Bod for the period of three years commencing on 1st January, 1996.

- (a) Administrator of Morobe—Department of Morobe
- (b) Provincial Works Manager—Department of Works
- (c) Provincial Works Co-ordinator—Department of Morobe
- (d) Provincial Manager—Department of Lands

The following nominees under Sub-section (1) (a) (b) (c) and (d) are:-

- (a) Deputy Administrator—Department of Morobe
- (b) Senior Works Supervisor-Building—Department of Works
- (c) Provincial Engineer—Department of Morobe
- (d) Senior Lands Officer—Department of Lands

Dated this 27th day of November, 1995.

G. KASSAS,  
Administrator.

*Land Act (Chapter 185)***CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING RESERVATION OF OCCUPANCY OF LAND UNDER SECTION 25**

The Department of Agriculture & Livestock (Quarantine Services) is hereby authorized Reservation to occupy the undermentioned land for the purpose of; Residential

Surveyed Description of Allotments 24 & 26, Section 122, Town of Madang, Madang Province, Area: 0.1839 hectares, Lands File: MG/122/024, MG/122/026, Folio: —,

Survey Plan: 12/308 or the land is shown on a plan contained on folio — of the abovementioned file.

*Conditions:—*

1. Any land authorized for reservation of occupancy may only be for the purposes stated and any proposed variation will require the prior approval in writing of the Secretary of Lands and Physical Planning.
2. Where, after consultation or not with any Department authorized to hold land which is not being used, it is determined by the Minister for Lands and Physical Planning or his Delegate that authorization of reservation to occupy land be revoked, or revoke over part only, this shall be done by means of formal advice from the Minister for Lands and Physical Planning or his Delegate to the affected Department.
3. Departments which are not in agreement with authorizations to occupy reserved land, or revocations thereof (including lands set aside under previous procedures) may appeal to Cabinet.

Dated this 7th day of November, 1995.

J. PAINAPI, OBE.,  
A Delegate of the Minister for Lands.

*Land Act (Chapter 185)***NOTICE OF RESERVATION UNDER SECTION 25**

I, John Painap, OBE., a Delegate of the Minister for Lands, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 25 of the *Land Act (Chapter 185)*, and all other powers me enabling, hereby "Reserve" the right of occupancy to Department of Agriculture & Livestock (Quarantine Services), P.O. Box 2141, Boroko, National Capital District over the land described in the Schedule

**SCHEDULE**

All that land described as Allotments 24 & 26, Section 122, Town of Madang, Madang Province containing an area of 0.1839 hectares or more or less in Survey Plan No. 12/308 in the Department of Lands File: Certificate of Reservation of Occupancy No. 0021/95 NR.

Dated this 7th day of November, 1995.

J. PAINAPI, OBE.,  
A Delegate of the Minister for Lands and Physical Planning.

*Land Act (Chapter 185)***CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING RESERVATION OF OCCUPANCY OF LAND UNDER SECTION 25**

The Department of Works and Supply is hereby authorized Reservation to occupy the undermentioned land for the purpose of; Housing and Storage.

Subject to: Surveyed Description of Allotment 1, Section 176, City of Lae, Morobe Province, Area: 1.47 hectares, Lands File: LJ/176/001, Folio: —,

Survey Plan: 31/400 or the land is shown on a plan contained on folio 4 of the abovementioned file.

*Conditions:—*

1. Any land authorized for reservation of occupancy may only be for the purposes stated and any proposed variation will require the prior approval in writing of the Secretary of Lands and Physical Planning.
2. Where, after consultation or not with any Department authorized to hold land which is not being used, it is determined by the Minister for Lands and Physical Planning or his Delegate that authorization of reservation to occupy land be revoked, or revoke over part only, this shall be done by means of formal advice from the Minister for Lands and Physical Planning or his Delegate to the affected Department.
3. Departments which are not in agreement with authorizations to occupy reserved land, or revocations thereof (including lands set aside under previous procedures) may appeal to Cabinet.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1995.

J. PAINAPI, OBE.,  
A Delegate of the Minister for Lands.

*Land Act (Chapter 185)***NOTICE OF RESERVATION UNDER SECTION 25**

I, John Painap, OBE., a Delegate of the Minister for Lands, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 25 of the *Land Act (Chapter 185)*, and all other powers me enabling, hereby "Reserve" the right of occupancy to Department of Works and Supply, P.O. Box 1108, Boroko, National Capital District over the land described in the Schedule

**SCHEDULE**

All that land described as Allotment 1, Section 176, City of Lae, Morobe Province containing an area of 1.47 hectares or more or less in Survey Plan No. S31/400 in the Department of Lands File: Certificate of Reservation of Occupancy No. 0019/95 NR.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1995.

J. PAINAPI, OBE.,  
A Delegate of the Minister for Lands and Physical Planning.