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Oaths, Affirmation and Statutory Declarations Act (Chapter 317)

## APPOINTMENT OF A COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

I, Hon. Ano Pala, CMG, MP, Attorney General & Minister for Justice, being satisfied that the following person is a fit and proper person and by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 12(1) of *Oaths, Affirmations and Statutory Declarations Act* (Chapter 317) and all powers me enabling hereby appoint **Geoffrey Brian Stephenson** as a Commissioner for Oaths for a period of 3 years <sup>1</sup> while in the employ of the Australian High Commission as Warden for East New Britain Province.

This appointment takes effect on the date of publication in the *National Gazette* and is valid until such time the applicant no longer holds the title described above or when he/she leaves the above employer, whichever first happens.

Dated this 24th day of February, 2017.

Hon. A. PALA Minister for Justice.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Section 12 (2) amended by No. 16 of 2015, sl. This amendment has reduced the number of years from 6 to 3 years for the term of the applicant as a Commissioner For Oaths.