



**REPUBLIC OF NAURU  
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18<sup>th</sup> February, 2015

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G. N. No. 56 / 2015

**CIVIL PROCEDURE ACT 1972**  
**RULES FOR EMPANELMENT OF A FULL BENCH**

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 76 (1) of the Civil Procedure Act 1972, I make the following rules –

1. (a) The Supreme Court shall normally be constituted by a single Judge but may, in its discretion, be empanelled as a full bench of three Judges in any of the following circumstances:-
  - (i) On a matter that is of constitutional importance;
  - (ii) On a matter that is of national significance or which relates to vital public policy;
  - (iii) On a matter which relates to an important point of law; and
  - (iv) On appeals from the District Court and the Family Court or a Case Stated for the Opinion of the Court which may fall within subsection (a) (i), (ii) or (iii).
- (b) In the event only two Judges are available, a full bench shall be comprised accordingly.
2. Parties in proceedings before the Court may by way of motion and affidavit seek the empanelling of a full bench before a single Judge.
3. An application for empanelment shall be made at the commencement of proceedings unless there are compelling reasons for doing otherwise.

Issued this 29<sup>th</sup> day of January 2015.

**JONI MADRAWIWI**  
**CHIEF JUSTICE**

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**PRACTICE NOTE NO. 1 OF 2015**  
**LAND APPEALS**

**APPEALS TO THE SUPREME COURT AGAINST DETERMINATION OF THE NAURU  
LANDS COMMITTEE**

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 76 (2) of the Civil Procedure Act 1972, I make the following rules –

1. An appeal from a determination of the Nauru Lands Committee (the “Committee”) is made under section 7 of the Nauru Lands Committee Act and shall be by Notice.
2. (a) Every Notice of Appeal (the “Notice”) to the Supreme Court shall be in writing and signed by the appellant or his/her solicitor/pleader.  
(b) Where there are several appellants appearing jointly, by each of them or their solicitor or pleader.
3. The Notice shall set out the following:
  - (a) Name of the Appellant;
  - (b) Name of the Land, Portion No. and District;
  - (c) No. of Government Gazette in which the Committee’s determination is published;
  - (d) Grounds of Appeal.
4. A copy of the relevant gazette notice shall be filed with the Notice.
5. (a) The Notice shall be filed by the appellant in the Supreme Court Registry (the “Registry”) and endorsed with the date of receipt, assigned a case number, placed in a case file cover endorsed with the number and the details entered in the court register of land appeals.  
(b) Those beneficiaries determined as the owners in the gazette notice shall be entered in the register and on the case file as respondents.  
(c) If, either before the appeal is lodged or afterwards, another appeal is lodged in respect of the same land, every appellant in that initial appeal shall be added as respondent in the other appeal accordingly.
6. (a) The Registry within 7 days of the receipt of the Notice shall serve a written notice along with a copy of the Notice, on the Secretary of the Committee (or a member thereof) and every respondent, informing them of the appeal and the grounds of appeal.  
(b) Service on the respondent(s) may, where applicable, be effected on elders as head or representatives of families in accordance with custom and practice.

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7. (a) The Secretary of the Committee, upon receipt of the written notice shall forward to the Registrar of the Supreme Court (the "Registrar") within 21 days thereafter a statement in the English language providing:
- (i) Each appellant's claim to the land, as presented to the Committee;
  - (ii) Each respondent's claim to the land, as presented to the Committee;
  - (iii) The Committee's determination of the matter;
  - (iv) English translations of relevant records relating to the determination; and
  - (v) Any other applicable documents.
- (b) The statement shall contain the details set out in subclause (a) (i), (ii) and (iii) dated and endorsed with the signature of the Chair or his/her representative.
8. A copy of the Committee's statement shall be provided by the Registrar to the appellant(s) and respondent(s) upon request and in accordance with custom and practice where applicable.
9. The Registrar shall then assign a date of hearing of the appeal.
10. (a) Where an appellant wishes to amend his/her grounds of appeal he/she shall file in the Registry not less than 7 days before the hearing of the Appeal, a notice setting out the amendment.
- (b) The amendment may alter, delete and/or add to the original grounds.
- (c) Upon the notice of amendment being filed, a copy shall be served by the said appellant on the respondent(s) in accordance with custom and practice where applicable or on the legal representative of the respondent(s), if any.
11. Practice Note No 1 of 1972 is repealed with effect from 11 December 2014.

Issued this 29<sup>th</sup> day of January 2015.

**JONI MADRAWIWI**  
**CHIEF JUSTICE**

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G. N. No. 58 / 2015

**APPOINTMENT OF ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY**

It is notified for general information that Cabinet at its meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 and in pursuance to Article 68, clause 3 of the Constitution of Nauru approved the appointment of Ms. Peta Gadabu to act as Chief Secretary effective 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2015 until the return of the Chief Secretary, Mr. Bernard Grundler.

Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015.

**BERNARD GRUNDLER**  
**CHIEF SECRETARY**

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G. N. No. 59 / 2015

**APPOINTMENT OF ACTING SECRETARY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS & TRADE**

It is notified for general information that Cabinet at its meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 and in pursuance to Article 68, clause 3 of the Constitution of Nauru approved the appointment of Dr. Maria Gaiyabu to act as Secretary for Foreign Affairs and Trade effective 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 until the return of the substantive Secretary, Mr. Mike Aroi.

Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015.

**BERNARD GRUNDLER**  
**CHIEF SECRETARY**

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G. N. No. 60 / 2015

**APPOINTMENT OF ACTING SECRETARY FOR CABINET**

It is notified for general information that Cabinet at its meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 and in pursuance to Article 68, clause 3 of the Constitution of Nauru approved the appointment of Ms. Ophelia Caleb to act as Secretary to Cabinet effective 15<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 until the return of the substantive Secretary, Mr. Sasikumar Paravanoor.

Dated this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015.

**BERNARD GRUNDLER**  
**CHIEF SECRETARY**

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**ENGAGEMENT TO MARRY**

NAME OF PARTIES: Conroy Cain of Yaren District and  
Triona Bill of Aiwo District.

Kojak Samson of Meneñ District and  
Angelina Amwano of Baiti District.

Petros Roumen of Australia and  
Lucia Deidenang of Boe District

DATE OF ENGAGEMENT: 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2015  
17<sup>th</sup> February, 2015  
28<sup>th</sup> February, 2015

**HON. BARON DIVAVESI WAQA M.P**  
**MINISTER IN CHARGE**

NAME OF PARTIES: Adnan Dayri of Lebanon and  
Zoe Stewart of Australia.

Kinson Dageago of Baiti District and  
Marlvina Harris of Meneñ District

DATE OF ENGAGEMENT: 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2015  
14<sup>th</sup> February, 2015

**HON. VALDON DOWIYOGO M.P**  
**ACTING MINISTER IN CHARGE**

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**BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES ACT 1957**

Births, Deaths and Marriages registered the month ended January, 2015 are as follows:-

**BIRTHS**

**NAURUANS:-**

NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	SEX	TRIBE	REG'D DISTRICT	MOTHER'S NAME
Beeson Auwon Brennan	01/01/15	M	Iruwa	Meneng	Bonnie Temaki
Rimza Reelina Myanna	02/01/15	F	Eamwit	Aiwo	Polly Hafees
J.K	02/01/15	F	Emea	Meneng	Eiworia Kepae
Ethan Farmer Jordash	05/01/15	M	Emwitmwit	Meneng	Chanika Engar
Prince DD	07/01/15	M	Iruwa	Aiwo	Delphina Daniel
Eithan Paul Alexander SORIANO	08/01/15	M	Iruwa	Denig	Venus Laeo
Geronimo Adiben John	08/01/15	M	Deiboe	Ewa	Kawina Dabwido
Mary	08/01/15	F	Iruwa	Ewa	Falemai Hedmon
Janado Branson Bosch	09/01/15	M	Eamwitmwit	Nibok	Amanda Kamtaura
Avalene Agnes Jannine	09/01/15	F	Eamwit	Baitsi	Charisma Ribauw
Eita-Mo Lanieta Lavette	10/01/15	F	Eano	Meneng	Yvette Botelanga
Baby-Girl	11/01/15	F	Deiboe	Nibok	Rose-Anna Dake
Angel Verona Therese	12/01/15	F	Eoaru	Anibare	Sierra Engar
Francia Wohyni Sutete	13/01/15	F	Eamwitmwit	Ewa	Dorcas Aremwa
Janado	15/01/15	M	Iruwa	Denig	Livani Adeang
Flash Paul Atai	15/01/15	M	Deiboe	Meneng	Paulika Kanth
Bernadette Blue Rose	16/01/15	F	Iruwa	Denig	Rosie Ben
Paige Mo-Adeten Alison Eiyoeor	18/01/15	F	Iruwa	Boe	Anjela Detenamo
Meriba Mercy-Petite Bloom	18/01/15	F	Emea	Nibok	Deaona Atto
Amandus Tejuca	20/01/15	M	Iruwa	Boe	Li-Onah Hedmon
Belford	21/01/15	M	Iruwa	Uaboe	Candice Gobure
Tabiria	27/01/15	F	Iruwa	Denig	Teree Olsson
Janelle Jollancia Janinda	31/01/15	F	Eamwitmwit	Aiwo	Beau-Elle Gadabu

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DEATHS

NAURUANS :-

NAME	DATE OF DEATH	SEX	TRIBE	AGE	REG'D DISTRICT
William Dowedia	01 <sup>st</sup> January, 2015	Male	Deiboe	60 yrs	Anabar
Schofield Paul Aremwa	06 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015	Male	Iruwa	2 yrs	Boe
Josiah Dowedia	08 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015	Male	Iruwa	35 yrs	Nibok
Rosemary Dagan	09 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015	Female	Iruwa	60 yrs	Anabar
Naoero Chazman Denitage	16 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015	Male	Eamwit	39 yrs	Uaboe
Decca Demaure	22 <sup>nd</sup> January, 2015	Male	Eamwitmwit	47 yrs	Meneng
Crystal Lekasa	23 <sup>rd</sup> January, 2015	Female	Emea	44 yrs	Yaren
Antonio Gorodu Auwobo	25 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015	Male	Iruwa	80 yrs	Meneng
Staley Addi	25 <sup>th</sup> January, 2015	Male	Deiboe	67 yrs	Anetan

MARRIAGES

Wayne Allen Walsh of Australia and Jeimy Simare of Meneng District on the 16<sup>th</sup> January 2015, by Reverend Roger Mwareow at Meneng Congregational Church.

Gerard-Majela Aubiati of Ewa District and Isabel Jane Garabwan of Aiwo District on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2015, by Father Saimon Kokoria MSC at Arubo Christ The King Church, Nauru.

Justin Olsson of Baiti District and Fatima Aboubo of Yaren District on the 17<sup>th</sup> January 2015, by Pastor Stanley Dabuae at Orro Congregational Church, Nauru.

Iyo Adam of Aiwo District and Sangina Sanney of Kosrae on the 24<sup>th</sup> January 2015, by Reverend Roger Mwareow at Orro Congregational Church, Nauru.

Ruka Siu of Boe District and Maxine Gaora of Denig District on the 26<sup>th</sup> January 2015, by Pastor Stanley Dabuae at Tsiminita Memorial Church, Nauru

James Deluckner of Uaboe District and Luciana Pitcher of Nibok District on the 26<sup>th</sup> January 2015, by Reverend Roger Mwareow at Orro Congregational Church, Nauru.

**ANTONIUS A. MAYBIR**  
**DEPUTY REGISTRAR**  
**BIRTHS, DEATHS & MARRIAGES**