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## CONSTITUTION

Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-level Governments

### AUTHORIZATION OF MINISTER TO EXERCISE EXECUTIVE POWERS OF A SUSPENDED PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ON BEHALF OF THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 187E(5) of the Constitution and Section 67(2)(b) of the Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-level Governments, hereby, with effect from 12.01 a.m. on 1st January, 1999, authorizes the Minister for Bougainville Affairs to exercise and perform, on behalf of the National Executive Council, all the executive powers, functions, duties and responsibilities of the provisionally suspended Bougainville Provincial Government.

Dated this 1st day of January, 1999.

B. SKATE,  
Chairman, National Executive Council.

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### PROVISIONAL SUSPENSION OF BOUGAINVILLE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 187E(1) of the Constitution and Section 58 of the Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-level Governments, being of the opinion that:—

- (a) the ground for suspension exists; and
- (b) the matter can only be put right by suspension,

hereby provisionally suspends the Bougainville Provincial Government with effect on and from 12.01 a.m. on 1st January, 1999.

Dated this 1st day of January, 1999.

B. SKATE,  
Chairman, National Executive Council.

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**APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATOR**

THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 73(2) of the Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-level Governments, and all other powers it enabling, after:—

- (a) considering a list of the names of three persons submitted by the Minister for Bougainville Affairs (being the Minister authorized by the National Executive Council under Section 67(2)(b) of that Organic Law to exercise the executive powers, functions, duties and responsibilities of the National Executive Council in respect of the provisionally suspended Bougainville Provincial Government); and
- (b) consultation with the Public Services Commission,

appoint John Siau as Acting Provincial Administrator of Bougainville Province with effect on and from 12.01 a.m. on 1st January, 1999 until further notice.

Dated this 1st day of January, 1999.

B. SKATE,  
Chairman, National Executive Council.