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CONSTITUTION

SUSPENSION FROM OFFICE OF THE COMMANDER OF THE PAPUA NEW GUINEA DEFENCE FORCE AND APPOINTMENT OF ACTING COMMANDER OF THE PAPUA NEW GUINEA DEFENCE FORCE

I, Silas Atopare, G.C.M.G., K.St. J., Governor-General, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 193(3) of the Constitution and all other powers me enabling, acting with, and in accordance with, the advice of the National Executive Council, given after consultation with the Public Services Commission, hereby—

- (a) suspend Major-General Jerry Singirok from the office of Commander of the Papua New Guinea Defence Force; and
- (b) appoint Colonel Carl Malpo to be Acting Commander of the Papua New Guinea Defence Force,

with effect on and from the date of publication of this instrument in the *National Gazette* until further notice.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1999.

SILAS ATOPARE,
Governor-General