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## REVOCATION OF APPOINTMENT AND APPOINTMENT OF AMBASSADOR

In the name and on behalf of His Majesty **CHARLES III**, King of Papua New Guinea and His other Realms and Territories, Head of the Commonwealth,

I, **GRAND CHIEF SIR BOB DADAE**, GCL., G.C.M.G., K. St. J., Governor-General, acting with, and in accordance with, the advice of the National Executive Council, hereby—

- (a) revoke the appointment of **DAVID WEREH** as Papua New Guinea's Ambassador to the Philippines, as published in the *National Gazette* No. G338 of 8th May, 2024; and
- (a) appoint **STEPHEN POKANIS** as Papua New Guinea's Ambassador to the Philippines, for a period of four (4) years,

with effect on and from the date of publication of this Instrument in the *National Gazette*.

Dated this Friday, 15th day of November, 2024.

Sir **BOB DADAE**,  
Governor-General.