[Legal Notice No. 91]

SOLOMON ISLANDS

MAGISTRATES COURTS ACT (Cap. 3)

THE MAGISTRATES COURTS (INCREASE IN CRIMINAL JURISDICTION) (NO. 2) ORDER 1997

1N exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 30 (3) of the Magistrate Courts Act, I hereby make the following Order:-

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Magistrates Courts (Increase in Criminal Jurisdiction) (No. 2) Order 1997
- 2. JEFERSON LEUA is hereby invested with jurisdiction to try the offence of Incest contrary to section 156 (1) of the Penal Code of which AUGUSTINE KAUHANE stands charged in the Malaita Magistrates Court, Criminal Case No. CRC 96 of 1996.

Made under my hand this sixth day of June 1997.

G.J.B. MURIA Chief Justice