## [Legal Notice No. 17]/92 THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1981 (No. 7 of 1981)

## THE MALAITA DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 1991

## AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE MALAITA DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY ORDINANCE 1987

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Malaita Development Authority (Amendment) Ordinance 1991, and shall come into effect when assented to by the Minister in accordance with Section 32 of the Provincial Government Act 1981.

Short title and commencement.

- 2. The Malaita Development Authority Ordinance 1987 is hereby amended in the following manner.
- 3. Section 2 is amended by replacing "paragraph 5" for "paragraph 2" in the definition of General Manager."
- 4. Section 4 is amended by deleting the word "and" after the word custom where it occurs in paragraph (f) thereof.
- 5. Section 5(1) is amended by adding a new subparagraph (g) "engage short-term advisors or consultants for specific purposes".
- 6. Section 6(b) is amended by substituting "Sub-section 5" for "subsections 4 and 5.
- 7. Section 10(1) is amended by adding the letter 't' to the word "interest" where it occurs therein.
- 8. Section 11 is amended by adding a new sub-section (2) "The authority may, with the approval of the Executive issue promissary notes, letters of comfort, bills of lading and other securities of a similar kind".

- 9. Section 13(3) is amended by substituting "sub-section 2" for "sub-section 32.
- 10. Section 16 is amended by deleting "officers" and substituting "officer" and further deleting "the full stop (.)" after "him" where it occurs at the end of line three and inserting a "hyphen (-)".
- 11. By adding "I" after word "Schedule" where it occurs after section 18.
- 12. Paragraph 1(a) of Schedule 2 is amended by adding the word "In" after the word "experience".
- 13. Paragraph 6 of Schedule 2 shall be amended by adding a new subsection (4) "alternate members may with the prior approval of the Chairman, attend meetings with their substantive member and take part in discussion but shall have no voting rights".
- 14. Paragraph 7(2) of Schedule 2 is amended by adding the word "In" after the word "and".
- 15. (a) Paragraph 8(1) of Schedule 2 is amended by adding the word "or" after the word "chairman" where it occurs in line one thereof.
  - (b) Paragraph 8(2) is amended by deleting the words "if any" and adding to the end the following words "if a non-voting member a cast in vote only".
- 16. Paragraph 10 of Schedule 2 is amended by adding a hyphen (-) after the word "autherticating" in line three and paragraph 10(b) deleting the words "authorised for that purpose by the authority" when they occur at end of line three and beginning of line four.
- 17. Paragraph 11 of Schedule 2 is amended by deleting the word "director" and inserting the words "director" in its place.
- 18. A new paragraph 13 is added to Schedule 2 as follows:-All members of the authority, both voting and non-voting ex-officio and all employees agents and officers of the Authority shall maintain strict confidentiality in regard to Authority affairs both whilst in office and on relinquishing. A breach of such confidentiality shall in the case of (a) a voting member be regarded as within section 4(1) and (2), (b) a non-voting member as such in their letters of contract, appointment, etc.".