

[Legal Notice No. 99]

**RENNELL AND BELLONA PROVINCE BUSINESS LICENCE  
(AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 2024**

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**PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1997  
(No. 7 of 1997)**

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(AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE 2024**

I, Hon. Wayne Osopo Ghemu, Minister for Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening, under section 31 of the *Provincial Government Act 1997*, the Minister for Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening makes the following Ordinance:

- 1

**Citation**

This Ordinance may be cited as the *Rennell and Bellona Province Business Licence (Amendment) Ordinance 2024*.
- 2

**Commencement**

This Ordinance commences on the date of publication in the Gazette.
- 3

**Amendment to the Rennell and Bellona Province Licence Ordinance 2014 (Legal Notice No. 15 of 2015)**

The *Rennell and Bellona Province Licence Ordinance 2014* (Legal Notice No. 15 of 2014) (“**Principal Ordinance**”) is amended.
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**Amendment to the Schedule Principal Ordinance**

The Schedule to the Principal Ordinance is amended by:

(a)

substituting the “Mining Licensee” fee of “\$550 000” with “\$1,700 000”; and

(b)

deleting “Mining contractor” in the column entitled “CATEGORY” and the fee of “\$700 000” in the row entitled “Mining”; and

- (c) substituting the “Beche-de-mer - Foreigner” fee of “\$7000” with “\$50 000”

Passed by the Renell and Bellona Provincial Assembly this twentieth-day of  
December 2024

Assented on this twelfth-day March 2025.

**HON. WAYNE OSOPO GHEMU**  
MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT  
AND INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING

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