

[Legal Notice No. 19]

**SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978**  
**(L.N. No. 43 of 1978)**

**APPOINTMENT OF THE OMBUDSMAN**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 96(2) of the Constitution, and acting in accordance with the advice of the Committee consisting of the Speaker, the Chairman of the Public Service Commission and the Chairman of the Judicial and Legal Service Commission, I, **SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Cross of the Order of Solomon Islands, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint

**JOE PORAIWAI**

to be the Ombudsman of Solomon Islands for a period of five (5) years with effect from the date hereof.

Given in Honiara under my hand and the public seal this 20th day of March, 2012.

**SIR FRANK UTU OFAGIORO KABUI**  
Governor-General