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**THE HONIARA CITY ACT
(NO. 2 OF 1999)****THE HONIARA CITY (ELECTION OF MAYOR) (NO. 1) ORDER 2008**

IN exercise of the powers conferred under section 72 of the Act, the Minister hereby makes the following Order.

1. This Order may be cited as the Honiara City (Election of Mayor) (No.1) Order 2008 and shall come into force upon publication in the Gazette.
2. Whereas the Honiara City Council (Election of Mayor) Order* provides for the election of Mayor of the Honiara City Council, the following rules shall apply for the purpose of the election of the Mayor –
 - (a) all members of the Honiara City Council as specified in section 5 (1) (a), (b), (c) and (d) of the Act, "Membership of the Council" shall be eligible to vote;
 - (b) the Mayor shall be elected from the amongst the elected members in keeping with section 7(1);
 - (c) in the event of the vote for the election of the Mayor's position being a tie then there shall be a one hour recess to allow members to reconsider their votes;
 - (d) after the recess the Council shall resume after such recess for the purpose of casting their votes for the position of Mayor for a second time;

- (e) in the event that the vote is still a tie, then the election shall be countermanded and there shall be a call for fresh nominations for the vacant position of Mayor by the City Clerk;
- (f) such a new election shall take place within seven (7) days from the 29th April 2008.

Made at Honiara this twentieth-eighth day of April, 2008.

Hon. James Tora
MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS

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