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**SOLOMON ISLANDS  
PUBLIC HOLIDAYS ACT  
(Cap. 151)**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2017**

I, **Manasseh Maelanga**, Minister for Home Affairs, in accordance with the schedule of the *Public Holidays Act (Cap. 151)*, inform the Public that these following days must be observed as National Public Holidays for 2017 in Solomon Islands:

New Year's Day	Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> January (Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January to be observed as Public Holiday)
Good Friday	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> April
Holy Saturday	Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> April
Easter Monday	Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> April
Whit Monday	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June
Queen's Birthday	Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> June (Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June to be observed as Public Holiday)
Independence Day	Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> July
Christmas Day	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> December
National Day of Thanksgiving	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> December

In pursuant of section 6 of the Act, the Minister has appointed the following days in 2017 as special Provincial Public Holidays:

Central Province	Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> June
Choiseul Province	Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> February (Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> February to be observed as Public Holiday)
Guadalcanal Province	Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> August
Isabel Province	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June
Makira, Ulawa Province	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> August
Malaita Province	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> August
Renbel Province	Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> July
Temotu Province	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> June
Western Province	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> December

Made at Honiara this seventeenth day of November, 2016.

HON. MANASSEH MAELANGA  
Minister for Home Affairs

[Legal Notice No. 69]

**THE BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ACT  
(Cap. 169)**

**REMOVAL OF REGISTRATION OF MINISTERS FOR MARRIAGES**

I, **Manasseh Maelanga**, Minister for Home Affairs under section 2(3) (4) of the Births, Marriages and Deaths Registration Act, remove from the register the names of these following persons as ministers from officiating marriages in Solomon Islands:

**National Spiritual Assembly of Bahai of S.I**

1. Charles Puti	11. Mathew Namu
2. Mr. Moses Topa'ana	12. Mr. Oda Lilo
3. Mrs. Rose Lauomea	13. Mrs. Janet Rofeta
4. Mr. Frank Haikiu	14. Mr. John Hiona
5. Mr. Raymond Hoahania	15. Mrs. Happy Kakawe
6. Paul Inigana	16. Mr. Solomon Hagamakia
7. Mr. Lysander Opaka	17. Mr. Alick Naitoro
8. Mr. Airam Tabuke	18. Mr. Kokia Riare
9. Mrs. Edlyn Aruhane	19. Dr. Teinamati Mereki
10. Mr. Tenkai Tabia	20. Mrs. Sholeh Todd Boyle

**Church of Nazarene**

1. Rev. Wallace White
2. Pastor Geoffrey Manu

Dated at Honiara this seventeenth day of November, 2016.

HON. MANASSEH MAELANGA  
Minister for Home Affairs

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**THE BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ACT  
(Cap. 169)**

**REGISTRATION OF MINISTERS TO CELEBRATE MARRIAGES**

I, **Hon. Manasseh Maelanga**, the Minister for Home Affairs, in exercise the powers conferred on me by section 2(4) of the Births, Marriages and Deaths Registration Act, hereby notify the registration of the following persons as ministers of these Churches for celebrating marriages in Solomon Islands:

DENOMINATION/RELIGION	NAME
Roman Catholic Church	1. Rev. Deacon Nicholas Tanau
Christian Revival Church (SI)	2. Fr. Brian Stephen O’Sullivan CM
Christian Revival Church (SI)	1. Ronny Asasai 2. Pastor Sonny Kwali
Church of the Living God	1. Pastor Batolo Ilo 2. Pastor Zebulun Kauri Bea 3. Pastor Simeon Ghau
The Pottor’s House	1. Adrian Martinez
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter – Day Saints	1. Job Akau 2. Alex Ifuna’au
	1. Stephen Kuni 2. Eddy Haueke 3. Pastor John The Baptist 4. Pastor Lawrence Kwaioloa 5. Silas Eneley Iro 6. Clifton Kalu 7. Warren Pugeva
	1. Rev. Arariki Taumarea 2. Aiai Koraua 3. Rev. Teia Avita 4. Rev. Butake Tebaua 5. Rev. Freda Muna 6. Rev. Teisisi Ta’ake 7. Rev. Lilian Bouriki 8. Rev. Isero Bouriki

Dated at Honiara this seventeenth day of November, 2016.

HON. MANASSEH MAELANGA  
Minister for Home Affairs

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