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## REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

### REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT [CAP 146]

#### Declaration of Polling Day Order No. 121 of 2015

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 21 and 22 of the Representation of the People Act [CAP 146] and acting on the advice of the Prime Minister given after consultation with the Electoral Commission and the Principal Electoral Officer, I, His Excellency WOMTELO REV. BALDWIN JACABSON LONSDALE, President of the Republic of Vanuatu, declare Thursday 15 October 2015 to be the polling day for the by- election for the PORT VILA constituency.

Made at Port Vila this 31 day of AUGUST, 2015.

His Excellency WOMTELO REV. BALDWIN JACABSON LONSDALE  
President of the Republic of Vanuatu





## REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

### PUBLIC HOLIDAYS ACT [CAP 114]

#### Declaration of Public Holiday Order No. 122 of 2015

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 2 of the Public Holidays Act [CAP 114], I, His Excellency WOMTELO REV. BALDWIN JACABSON LONSDALE, President of the Republic of Vanuatu, acting on the advice of the Prime Minister, declare Thursday 15 October 2015 to be a public holiday for all registered voters who are eligible to vote in the by- election for the PORT VILA constituency.

This Order commences on the day on which it is made.

Made at Port Vila this 31 day of AUGUST, 2015.

**His Excellency WOMTELO REV. BALDWIN JACABSON LONSDALE**  
President of the Republic of Vanuatu





## REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

### LIQUOR LICENSING ACT [CAP 52]

#### Liquor Licensing (Prohibition of Sale) Order No. 123 of 2015

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19 of the Liquor Licensing Act [CAP 52], I, the Honourable HOSEA NEVU, Minister of Internal Affairs, make the following Order.

#### 1 Sale of Liquor Prohibited

The sale of liquor in or from licensed premises through out the PORT VILA constituency whether for consumption on or off such premises is prohibited from 12 midnight Wednesday 14 October 2015 to 12 midday Friday 16 October 2015.

#### 2 Exemption

Liquor may be sold during the period referred to clause 1 within the normal hours of the opening in restaurants and hotels to bona fide customers for consumption with food.

#### 3 Commencement

This Order commences on the day on which it is made.

Made at Port Vila this 01<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2015.

  
Honourable HOSEA NEVU  
Minister of Internal Affairs





## REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

### MUNICIPALITIES ACT [CAP 126]

#### Luganville Municipal Election Dispute Committee Notice No. 251 of 2015

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subclause 33(1) of the Municipal Council Elections Regulations, I, the Honourable HOSEA NEVU, Minister of Internal Affairs, make the following Notice.

#### **1 Definition**

In this Notice unless the context otherwise require:

“Committee” means the Luganville Municipal Election Dispute Committee;

“Minister” means the Minister responsible for Internal Affairs.

#### **2 Appointment of the members of the Committee**

The following persons are appointed as members of the Committee:

- (a) HANNALINE NALAU ILO;
- (b) DR TIMOTHY VOCOR;
- (c) JUSTIN NGWELE;
- (d) MICHEL KALWORAI.

### 3 Appointment of Chairperson of the Committee

HANNALINE NALAU ILO is appointed as Chairperson of the Committee.

### 4 Address of the Committee

All electoral petitions must be sent to the following address:

c/o- Luganville Municipal Election Dispute Committee  
Electoral Office  
Private Mail Bag 9033  
Port Vila  
Vanuatu

### 5 Term of Reference

- (1) The terms of reference of the Committee are as set out in the Schedule.
- (2) The terms of reference of the Committee may be amended or varied by the Minister in consultation with the Committee.

### 6 Report

The Committee must prepare a report of its findings no later than Wednesday 30 September 2015 at 4:30.

### 7 Commencement

This Notice commences on the day on which it is made.

Made at Port Vila this 01<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2015

  
Honourable HOEA NEVU  
Minister of Internal Affairs



## SCHEDULE

### TERMS OF REFERENCE

#### **1 Objective of the Luganville Municipal Dispute Committee**

The objective of appointing the Luganville Municipal Election Disputes Committee is to investigate into the Luganville Municipal Council Election outstanding complaints.

#### **2 Role of the Committee**

The roles of the Committees include all of the following:

- (a) to carry out its roles as stipulated under Part 7 of the Municipal Council Election Regulations;
- (b) to hear every valid election petition presented before the Committee;
- (c) to make assessment on these petitions and make declarations as to the validity or invalidity of these petitions;
- (d) to communicate the decisions of the Committee without delay to the petitioner and all persons whose election is subject to such petition and the Minister.

#### **3 Expected outputs**

On hearing and assessing the petitions, the Committee may:

- (a) declare the election to which the petition relates void; or
- (b) declare a candidate other than the person whose election is questioned duly elected; or
- (c) dismiss the petition and declare the persons whose election is questioned duly elected; or
- (d) make such orders as to the payment of costs by any person appearing before it as it may deem fit.

#### **4 Location**

The Committee is to carry out its investigations and related matters in Port Vila and Luganville and at such other place or places as the Committee may determine.

REPUBLIC OF VANUATU



CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

**APPOINTMENT OF ACTING CHAIRMAN OF ELECTORAL  
COMMISSION**

**NOTICE NO. 252 OF 2015**

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred upon me by Article 18 of the Constitution of the Republic of Vanuatu, I, **WOMTELO REV. BALDWIN J. LONSDALE**, President of the Republic of Vanuatu, on the advice of the Judicial Commission appoint

**JOHN KILLION TALEO**

to be acting Chairman of the Electoral Commission of Vanuatu for a period of one (1) month effective from 19 August 2015.

MADE at the STATE OFFICE, PORT VILA, this 1<sup>st</sup> DAY of SEPTEMBER 2015.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized 'W' and 'L' intertwined.



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**EXCELLENCY WOMTELO REV. BALDWIN J. LONSDALE  
PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU.**