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SUMMARY

This public report is issued as a result of the Ombudsman's obligation under s.34 of the Leadership Code Act [LCA] to investigate and report on the conduct of leaders who may have breached the LCA.

Section 31 of the LCA requires those persons who occupy positions of leadership as identified by Article 67 of the Constitution and s.5 of the LCA to declare their annual returns for the preceding year to the Clerk of Parliament by 1 March each year.

The Clerk of Parliament is required under s.32[3] of the LCA [Amendment] Act No. 7 of 1999 to publish in the Gazette on or before 14 March in each year a list of the leaders who have given or failed to give the Clerk an annual return.

Failure to comply with s.31 of the LCA and even after being warned by the Clerk of Parliament in writing of his failure to do so, fails to file the return within a further 14 days is guilty of a breach of this Code.

Below are the Ombudsman's findings after due enquiry:

- out of 185 leaders as published in the Official Gazette No.21 of 9 July 2007, 177 leaders have breached s.33 of the LCA in not filing 2006 annual returns;
- the Clerk of Parliament has breached s.32[3], s.33 and s.13[c] of the LCA.

The Ombudsman recommends:

- prosecution of leaders who failed to file 2006 annual returns;
- prosecution of the Clerk of Parliament under Part 6 of the LCA; and
- amendment to s.32 and s33 of the LCA

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1. JURISDICTION

- 1.1 The **Constitution**, the **Ombudsman Act** allow the Ombudsman to look into the conduct of government, related bodies, and Leaders. This includes the failure of leaders to observe and comply with *sections 31 to 33 of the Leadership Code Act*. The Ombudsman can also look into defects in laws or administrative practices, including the failure of the Clerk of Parliament in his non-observance of *section 32 of the same Act*.

2. PURPOSE, SCOPE OF INVESTIGATION AND METHODS USED

- 2.1 The purpose of this report is to present the Ombudsman's findings as required by the Constitution, the Ombudsman Act and the Leadership Code Act.
- 2.2 The scope of this investigation is to establish the facts and reasons why 179 leaders omitted filing their 2006 annual returns to the Clerk of Parliament as published in the Official Gazette No.21 of 9 July 2007.
- 2.3 This report also looked into the failure of the Clerk of Parliament in by-passing *section 32[3] of the Leadership Code Act*.
- 2.4 This Office collected information and documents by informal request, summons, letters, interviews and research.

3. RELEVANT LAWS

- 3.1 Relevant parts of the following laws are reproduced in **Appendix A**.
The Constitution of the Republic of Vanuatu
The Leadership Code Act No.2 of 1998
The Leadership Code [Amendment] Act No.7 1999

4. OUTLINE OF EVENTS

- 4.1 *Article 67 of the Constitution of the Republic of Vanuatu* defines those who are considered to be leaders. In addition to this *Article*, *section 5 of the Leadership Code Act 1998* further declares those who are leaders under the Leadership Code. [Refer to **Appendix A**].
- 4.2 *In accordance with Part 4, Section 31 of the Leadership Code Act* requires that all leaders must complete an annual return for the preceding year setting out details of the leader's assets and liabilities in accordance with the form in the Schedule [See **Appendix B**] and submit it to the Clerk of Parliament
- [a] within two months of becoming a leader; and
 - [b] by 1 March in each year.

- 4.3 *Section 32 of the same Act* states that the Clerk of Parliament must publish in the Gazette *on or before 14 March in each year* a list of the leaders who have given or failed to give the Clerk an annual return.
- 4.4 *Section 33 of the Act* also requires the Clerk to warn the leaders in writing, who fail to file an annual return as required by *section 31 of the same Act*.
- 4.5 A leader who fails to file an annual return as required in *section 31 of the Leadership Code Act* is in breach of *section 33 of the same Act*, and is liable to be investigated by the Ombudsman.
- 4.6 On 15 November, 1 and 20 December 2006, reminder notice of 2006 annual returns submission was sent out to leaders concerned.
- 4.7 On 14 May 2007, the Ombudsman advised Mr Lino B Sacsac, Clerk of Parliament by letter that his Office has received confirmation from the State Law Office that they have not received any report on the 2006 annual returns as yet in order to be gazetted.
- 4.8 On 6 June 2007, a reminder letter was sent to the Clerk of Parliament on the delay of publishing a list of leaders who have given or failed to give the Clerk an annual return.
- 4.9 On 28 June 2007, the Ombudsman received a response from the Clerk of Parliament notifying the Ombudsman that the list of leaders who failed to submit their 2006 annual returns has been submitted to the State Law Office for publication in the Gazette.
- 4.10 On 9 July 2007, the Ombudsman's Office contacted the State Law Office to confirm whether they have received the list of leaders who have filed and who have failed to file their 2006 annual returns to be gazetted.
- 4.11 State Law Office confirmed that the Clerk of Parliament's letter to them was dated 11 June 2007 and they received the documents on 12 June 2007.
- 4.12 The Official Gazette No.21 dated 9 July 2007 was published and contained the list of leaders who submitted and those who failed to submit an annual return for 2006.
- 4.13 185 leaders were listed as those who failed to submit their 2006 annual returns. [Refer to **Appendix C**]

5. RESPONSES BY THOSE WITH COMPLAINTS AGAINST THEM

A Working Paper on the Failure of 185 Leaders Who Failed to File Annual Returns For 2006 was issued on 18 September 2007 in order to give to the persons being implicated therein an opportunity to respond to its content. Only 24 people responded and the following six [6] persons could not be located: Messrs Maxwel Majamaja, Eddie Kalpukai, Jeffrey Lawa, Avis Yoan, Jonathan Sisai and Salathiel Vacak. Due to the difficulty in finding their whereabouts, the Ombudsman is not in a position to actually determine whether or not they have failed to submit their 2006 annual return forms to the Clerk of Parliament.

- 5.1 On 20 September 2007 the Ombudsman received a verbal response from Mr Faithful Sakari who expressed his dissatisfaction over the misspelling of his name [not Sethful] and the position held within the Ministry of Agriculture. Mr Faithful is simply the Office Supervisor therein but not the First Political Advisor. Thus, he cannot be referred to as one of the leaders under Article 67 of the Constitution and section 5 of the Leadership Code Act.
- 5.2 On 21 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a verbal response from Mr Samuel Berry, a Member of Shefa Provincial Council. He was disappointed to see his name appeared in the report as he was not aware of such a leadership obligation. As such, he extended his apology for failing to submit his 2006 annual return.
- 5.3 On 24 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a response by phone from Mr Charles Calo who is a Member of the Vanuatu National Provident Fund Board of Directors. Mr Calo stated that he submitted his form to the VNPF secretary for dispatching some two months earlier. At that time the Ombudsman did advise him that despite making such a submission, it was already late as per section 31[a][b] of the Leadership Code Act. Furthermore, every leader of this country is required to submit his or her annual return form to nobody else but the Clerk of Parliament, and keep a copy as a personal record for future reference, if necessary.
- 5.4 On 25 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a verbal response from the Vice President of the Shefa Provincial Council Cr Willie Solomon Reuben stating that he did submit his 2006 annual return by using his other name Pakoa Nalu Willie [but not Pako Analu] as shown on page 15 with number 192 in the Official Gazette. Cr Pakoa Nalu Willie as corrected was reported to have submitted his 2006 annual return. As such, the Councillor was verbally advised that it was vital to stick to one name only in order to avoid any confusion in the future.
- 5.5 On 26 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a response by phone from Mr Brownhill Harry, a former Lord Mayor of the Luganville Municipal Council. He responded on behalf of himself and all the Members of the Luganville Municipal Council who were implicated in the Working Paper. He stated that due to the lack of funds, they all submitted their 2006 Annual Returns to the Council Administration for despatching to the Clerk of Parliament. Mr Harry had no idea of what happened to the forms then between the Council Administration and the Office of Parliamentary Clerk. He was advised that as a leader, it is the leader's obligation to ensure that his or her form is received by the Clerk of Parliament.
- 5.6 On 27 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a verbal response from Mr Sam Lop who is the Second Political Advisor in the Ministry of Finance. Mr Lop stated that he has never received any annual return form. However, he was advised to collect his own form from the Clerk of Parliament.
- 5.7 On 27 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from Mr Robert Tasaruru, Member of Asset Management Unit requesting the

Ombudsman to advise the Clerk of Parliament to forward a copy of the form to him. He will then complete the form and return it to the Clerk of Parliament.

The Ombudsman advised that the Clerk of Parliament or any other government agency is not bound by law to send out the Annual Return forms to leaders. It is their duty as leaders to obtain, complete and submit them to the Clerk of Parliament within 2 months of becoming a leader or by 1 March in each year.

- 5.8 On 28 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from Mr Hosea Tessa who is the Third Political Advisor in the Ministry of Lands. Mr Tessa admitted having received, completed and submitted the form to the Clerk of Parliament who may have misplaced it.
- 5.9 On 28 September 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from Mr Pascal Gavotto, a Member of the Vanuatu Tourism Office [VTO] Board of Directors. Mr Gavotto stated that he was appointed by the Vanuatu Hotel and Resort Association [VHRA] in February 2006. He sat in a meeting and was immediately dismissed by Ms Robyn Rednapp who, in March 2006, was the newly elected Chairperson of the VHRA. According to Ms Rednapp, only the President of the VHRA can sit at the VTO Board. Therefore, as the current General Manager of Whitegrass hotel in Tanna Ms Rednapp, has been sitting in all VTO meetings in 2006.
As a respectful foreign citizen who fully complies with all Vanuatu rules and policies, Mr Gavotto said that he would have filled up the annual return form had he been kept in the VTO position in 2006.
- 5.10 On 1 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a verbal response from the Second Political Advisor in the Ministry of Ni-Vanuatu Business Mr Varucu Mele on behalf of Mr Eric Peli Kalotiti. Mr Mele clarified that Mr Kalotiti no longer occupied that position since there was a change of Minister in the Government in January 2006. The position was left vacant for quite some time until he was appointed to that post early this year.
- 5.11 On 1 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from the Secretary General of Malampa Provincial Council Mr Lambert Maltok stating that he did send his 2006 Annual Return to the Clerk of Parliament. He pointed out that he is not the President as reported in the Official Gazette but the Secretary General of the Province.
- 5.12. On 8 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from Honourable Leinavao Tasso, Minister of Education who confirmed that she submitted her Annual Return to the Clerk of Parliament on 6 March 2007. However, according to a copy of her 2006 Annual Return which was attached to her response, it was dated Monday, 27 March 2006.
- 5.13 On 8 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from Honourable Willie Jimmy Tapanga Rarua, Minister of Finance and Economic Management. The Minister admitted that it was honestly an oversight on his part but not a deliberate action to violate the provision of the Leadership Code

Act. He sincerely apologized for what happened and will ensure that this same mistake is not repeated.

- 5.14 On 8 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from Mr Peter Lamai who was a Member of VCMB Board of Directors stating that he was terminated as such in March 2006 by the Honourable Minister James Bule.
- 5.15 On 8 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from the Second Political Advisor in the Ministry of Lands, Mr Jimmy Luna Tasong who stated that he has always treated the Annual Return form as a priority up until now. He remembered having completed the form and submitted it to the front desk of the Parliament House trusting that the Clerk of Parliament will receive it.
- 5.16 On 12 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from the General Manager of VNPF, Mr Kelip Sandy. Mr Sandy thought that he had already submitted his Annual Return form but as a matter of fact the Clerk of Parliament did not receive it. He regretted his failure and advised that this will not reoccur in the future.
- 5.17 On 16 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a copy of Mr Sam Lop Nako's 2006 Annual Return during his visit to this Office on 27 September 2007. The form as dated 27 September 2007.
- 5.18 On 15 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a response by phone from the Member of Parliament Honourable Paul Telukluk saying that upon his return from Malekula, he was in receipt of the Ombudsman's Working Paper. He stated that while he was on Malekula he made a late submission of his 2006 annual return.
- 5.19 On 18 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from a Member of the Reserve Bank of Vanuatu Board of Directors Mr Geordie Mackenzie-Reur. Mr Mackenzie-Reur commented that he was not given a warning for the submission of 2006 Annual Return and as such, his submission was late.
- 5.20 On 19 October 2007, the Ombudsman received an e-mail response from the former Director of Fisheries Mr Moses J Amos Tinapua stating that he vacated his position as the Director of Vanuatu Fisheries Department on 15 January 2007. He then took up his new position with the Pacific Islands Forum Fisheries Agency as the Director of the Fisheries Management for the next three years – that which is based in Honiara, Solomon Islands.
- 5.21 On 23 October 2006, the Ombudsman received a copy of Mr Kali Vatoko's resignation letter dated 1 March 2006 to Mr Charles Maon, Chairman of the Public Service Commission [PSC]. As such, he is no longer a member of the Public Service Commission.

- 5.22 On 23 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a telephone response from the Malampa Provincial Councillor David Willy claiming not to have received any form so as to submit his annual return.
- 5.23 On 30 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a response from Ms Nadia Kanegai reiterating that she is no longer a member of the Public Service Commission. According to document provided, she tendered her resignation on 4 April 2006.
- 5.24 On 30 October 2007, the Ombudsman received a written response from the Port Vila Municipal Councillor Charley Sakaraia stating that he was unable to submit his Annual Return due to the lack of form.
- 5.25 On 1 November 2007, the Ombudsman received from Councillor Ronald Liatlatmal a copy of his 2006 Annual Return dated 30 October 2007 which was a late submission by fax.

6. FINDINGS

6.1 Finding 1: BREACH OF SECTION 33 OF THE LEADERSHIP CODE ACT BY 177 LEADERS TO FILE 2006 ANNUAL RETURN

- 6.1.1 Apart from the persons being indicated [or referred to] in paragraphs 5 above and 6.1.2 below, and as mentioned in the Official Gazette No.21 dated 9 July 2007, there are in fact one hundred seventy seven [177] leaders who were found by the Ombudsman as having failed to file their 2006 Annual Returns [refer to **Appendix C**]. As such, these leaders mentioned in the above Appendix have breached *section 33 of Leadership Code Act No.2 of 1998*.
- 6.1.2 The Ombudsman found that the following persons have justified reasons for failing to file their 2006 Annual Returns. They are: Mr Pascal Gavotto, Mr Eric Peli Kalotiti, Honourable Member of Parliament Mrs Leinavao Tasso, Mr Peter Lamai, Mr Kali Vatoko, Cr Willie Solomon Reuben [or Pakoa Nalu Willie as corrected], Mr Faithful Sakari and Ms Nadia Kanegai.
- 6.1.3 The Ombudsman also found that:
- Certain information being provided in that Official Gazette were not only incorrect/inaccurate but false. For instance, Mr Faithful Sakari [not Sethful] expressed his dissatisfaction over the misspelling of his name [Refer to Appendix C, page 2] and the position held in the Ministry of Agriculture. Mr Sakari is simply the Office Supervisor therein, thus he cannot be categorised as one of the leaders under section 67 of the Constitution and section 5 of the Leadership Code Act. Furthermore, another mistake concerns Ms Nadia Kanegai who was once again reported for failing to file her 2006 annual return despite being found by the Ombudsman as having justified reasons for failing to file her annual return for 2005 [Refer to page 9, paragraph 6.1.2 of the Public Report on the Failure of 156 Leaders Who Failed to File Annual Returns for 2005]. Consequently, Mr Sakari and

Ms Kanegai cannot be referred to as leaders who were required to submit their 2006 annual returns.

Mr Lambert Maltok pointed out that he is not the President but the Secretary General of the Malampa Provincial Council as reported on page 12 of the Official Gazette.

Cr Willie Solomon Reuben is the same person as Pakoa Nalu Willie [not Pako Analu] as shown on page 15 with number 192 in the Official Gazette. Cr Pakoa Nalu Willie as corrected was reported to have submitted his 2006 annual return.

- It was an oversight and not a deliberate omission on the part of the Minister of Finance and Economic Management Honourable Willie Jimmy Tapanga Rarua not to file his 2006 annual return.
- Some leaders have indicated that they have filed their 2006 annual returns but wondered whether or not their forms have reached the Office of the Clerk of Parliament. They are: Messrs Charles Calo, Brownhill Harry, Hosea Tessa, Lambert Maltok, Jimmy Luna Tasong and Kelip Sandy,
- Other leaders were unaware of their obligation to obtain, complete and submit their annual return forms to the Clerk of Parliament within 2 months of becoming a leader or by 1 March each year. They are: Messrs Samuel Berry, Sam Lop Nako, Robert Tasaruru, Paul Telukluk, Geordie Mackenzie-Reur, Moses J Amos Tinapua, David Willy, Charley Sakaraia and Ronald Liatlatmal.

6.2 Finding 2 BREACH OF SECTION 32[3] OF THE LEADERSHIP CODE [AMENDMENT] ACT NO.7 OF 1999 BY THE CLERK OF PARLIAMENT

- 6.2.1 Section 32[3] of the Leadership Code [Amendment] Act No.7 of 1999 states that "the Clerk must publish in the Gazette on or before 14 March in each year a list of leaders who have given or failed to give the Clerk an annual return".

The Clerk of Parliament only published these names in the Official Gazette No.21 on 9 July 2007, which was well over the required date as stated in the above Act. Thus, the Clerk is guilty of a breach of section 32[3] of the Leadership Code [Amendment] Act No.7 of 1999.

6.3 Finding 3 BREACH OF SECTION 33 OF THE LEADERSHIP CODE ACT BY THE CLERK OF PARLIAMENT

- 6.3.1 Pursuant to section 33[a] of the Leadership Code Act, the Clerk of Parliament is required to warn the leaders in writing who failed to submit their annual return by 1 March each year.
- 6.3.2 According to the Clerk of Parliament's response to the Ombudsman's letter of enquiry [Refer to **Appendix D**], the Clerk stated that he did not give them any warning but did send them reminder letters [Refer to **Appendix E**]. Thus, no copy of the warning letter, a list of the leaders to whom the warning letters were sent and a list of those who responded to the reminder letters were provided to the Ombudsman.

6.3.3 Despite the imposition of such a duty, Mr Lino Bulekuli dit Sacsac has miserably failed to observe that obligation, thus, is guilty of a breach of *section 33[a] of the Leadership Code Act*.

6.4 Finding 4 BREACHES OF SECTIONS 13[1][C] AND 19 OF THE LEADERSHIP CODE ACT BY THE CLERK OF PARLIAMENT

6.4.1 As a leader under section 5[p] of the Leadership Code Act, the Clerk of Parliament is, pursuant to section 13[1][c] of the Leadership Code Act, expected to comply with and observe the duties, obligations and responsibilities established by this Act or any other enactment that affects his area of duty. A failure on the part of the Clerk of Parliament to comply with such duties, obligations and responsibilities as created under the above legal provisions, Mr Lino Bulekuli dit Sacsac is also guilty of a breach of *section 19 of the Leadership Code Act* and is liable to punishment in accordance with Part 6.

6.5 Finding 5: DEFICIENCY IN THE LEADERSHIP CODE ACT NO.2 OF 1998

6.5.1 Although *Section 31 of the Act* states that a leader must submit his/her annual return form to the Clerk setting out details of the leader's assets and liabilities, the Clerk is not mandated to check the accuracy and reliability of the information. The Clerk is only obliged, under *Section 32*, to ensure that the leader submits the form and also to produce a list of the leaders who fail to file their forms and warn the leader in writing for failing to file his/her forms. There is no provision in the Act giving the Clerk the power to carry out his own checks to confirm the reliability and accuracy of the details submitted by the leader. Because of this deficiency, the Ombudsman is unable to certify that the details in the forms are reliable to ascertain that the information provided by individual leaders is true and correct.

7. RECOMMENDATIONS

The Ombudsman makes the following recommendations in regards to the above findings:

7.1 Recommendation 1:

In accordance with *section 34[2] and 35 of the Leadership Code Act*, the Public Prosecutor considers this report and commences proceedings of prosecuting the leaders whom the Ombudsman found to have breached the *Leadership Code Act* in not filing their 2006 Annual Return.

7.2 Recommendation 2:

The Government through Parliament seriously considers amending the *Leadership Code Act*, particularly *sections 32 and 33* to have the Ombudsman the sole authority to scrutinize and keep a register of leaders

who have and also failed to file annual returns to avoid continuous breaching of sections 32[3] and 33[a] of the Act by the Clerk of Parliament. This is in order that the Ombudsman can independently assess the correctness and reliability of the records submitted. Unless this is done the submission of the Annual Return forms serve no purpose and are no use to anyone.

7.3 Recommendation 3:

The Clerk of Parliament considers seriously his duties under the *Leadership Code Act* in future until such time, *Part 4 of the Leadership Code Act* be amended so that the provisions of the Annual Returns is administered by the Office of the Ombudsman.

7.4 Recommendation 4:

The Clerk of Parliament be prosecuted under *Part 6 of the Leadership Code Act* for breaching the Act.

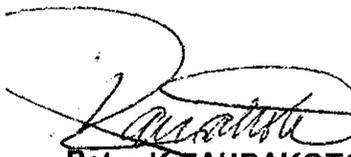
7.5 Recommendation 5:

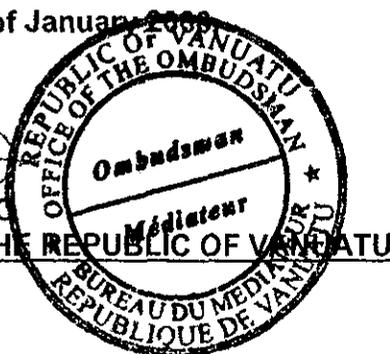
Government authorities legally empowered to appoint and terminate persons from leadership positions must include, as part of their administrative role, the duty to inform the Clerk of Parliament in writing immediately after every appointment or termination of any leader so the Clerk of Parliament can keep an update of who the leaders are.

7.6 Recommendation 6:

Since many Municipal and Provincial Councillors are constantly failing to submit their annual returns, it is recommended that both authorities concerned [Town Clerks and Secretary Generals] maintain copies in their filing registry. This could be distributed during their full council meeting before the end of each year to complete and submit them to the Clerk of Parliament. In so doing, this would also allow other leaders an opportunity to have access to copies of the forms for submission to the Clerk of Parliament. Thus, it will not be an excuse for them to say that annual returns could not be submitted due to the lack of forms.

Dated this 11th day of January 2009


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OMBUDSMAN OF THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU



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- A** Relevant Laws
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Appendix A

CONSTITUTION OF THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

CONDUCT OF LEADERS

- 66[1] Any person defined as a leader in Article 67 has a duty to conduct himself in such a way, both in his public and private life, so as not to—
- [a] place himself in a position in which he has or could have a conflict of interests or in which the fair exercise of his public or official duties might be compromised;
 - [b] demean his office or position;
 - [c] allow his integrity to be called into question; or
 - [d] endanger or diminish respect for and confidence in the integrity of the Government of the Republic of Vanuatu.
- 66[2] In particular, a leader shall not use his office for personal gain or enter into any transaction or engage in any enterprise or activity that might be expected to give rise to doubt in the public mind as to whether he is carrying out or has carried out the duty imposed by sub article (1).

DEFINITION OF A LEADER

- 67 For the purposes of this Chapter, a leader means the President of the Republic, the Prime Minister and other Ministers, members of Parliament, and such public servants, officers of Government agencies and other officers as may be prescribed by law.

LEADERSHIP CODE ACT NO. 2 OF 1998

LEADERS

5. In addition to the leaders referred to in Article 67 of the Constitution, the following are declared to be leaders:
- [a] members of the National Council of Chiefs;
 - [b] elected and nominated members of local government councils;
 - [c] elected and nominated members of municipal councils;
 - [d] political advisors to a Minister;
 - [e] directors-general of ministries and directors of departments;
 - [f] members and the chief executive officers (however described) of the boards and statutory authorities;
 - [g] chief executive officers or secretaries-general of local governments;
 - [h] the town clerks (or their equivalent in name) of municipal councils;
 - [i] persons who are:
 - [i] directors of companies or other bodies corporate wholly owned by the Government; and
 - [ii] appointed as directors by the Government;
 - [j] the Attorney General;
 - [k] the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner of Police;
 - [l] the Solicitor-General;
 - [m] the Public Prosecutor;
 - [n] the Public Solicitor;
 - [o] the Ombudsman;
 - [p] the Clerk of the Parliament;
 - [q] the Principal Electoral Officer;
 - [r] the Auditor-General;
 - [s] the Chairperson of the Expenditure Review Committee;

- [t] the Chairperson when acting in that capacity of the Tenders Board;
- [u] members of the Public Service Commission;
- [v] members of the Teaching Service Commission;
- [w] members of the Police Service Commission;
- [x] members of the Electoral Commission;
- [y] the Commander of the Vanuatu Mobile Forces.

DUTIES OF LEADERS

13. [1] A leader must:

- [c] comply with and observe the duties obligations and responsibilities established by this Code or any other enactment that affects the leader; and

PART 4 – ANNUAL RETURNS

ANNUAL RETURNS

31. [1] Every leader must complete an annual return for the preceding year setting out details of the leader's assets and liabilities in accordance with the form in the Schedule.
- [2] The annual return must be given to the clerk of the Parliament:
- [a] within 2 months of becoming a leader; and
 - [b] by 1 March in each year.
- [3] The annual return must set out details, listed in subsection [4], of the assets and liabilities of:
- [a] the leader; and
 - [b] the leader's spouse and children where feasible;
 - [c] any trust of which the leader or the leader's spouse or children are a beneficiary where feasible.
- [4] The details to be set out in the annual return are:
- [a] all land and other property (except one family home);
 - [b] all vehicles [except one family vehicle];
 - [c] all shares in public or private companies;
 - [d] all income;
 - [e] all liabilities;
 - [f] directorships in corporations;
 - [g] all directorships or other office held in unincorporated bodies;
 - [h] any assets acquired or disposed of during the period covered by the return;
 - [i] any liabilities acquired or discharged during the period covered by the return.
- [5] The details must include assets within and outside Vanuatu.
- [6] The leader is not required to include:
- [a] any liabilities in respect of the family home; or
 - [b] the personal effects of the leader and his or her spouse and children.

LEADERSHIP CODE (AMENDMENT) ACT NO.7 1999

REPEAL OF SECTION 32 AND SUBSTITUTION OF NEW SECTION

1. Section 32 of the Principal Act is repealed and the following section substituted:

"ANNUAL RETURNS CONFIDENTIAL EXCEPT FOR INVESTIGATIONS AND PROSECUTIONS

32. [1] Subject to subsection (2), the Clerk must keep confidential all annual returns given to the Clerk by leaders.
 - [2] The Clerk must not make a part of an annual return, or the whole of an annual return, available to another person unless the Clerk is satisfied that the part or annual return is necessary for:
 - [a] an investigation under Part 5 of this Act, or an investigation authorised by or under any other Act or law; or
 - [b] a prosecution under Part 5 of this Act, or a prosecution authorised by or under any other Act or law.
 - [3] The Clerk must publish in the *Gazette* on or before 14 March in each year a list of the leaders who have given or failed to give the Clerk an annual return. The list must set out the leader's name and the position the leader holds.
 - [4] This section applies to an annual return required to be given to the Clerk on or after the day on which this section commences."

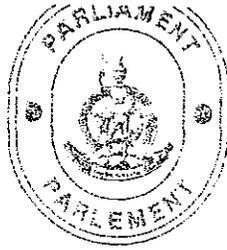
COMMENCEMENT

2. This Act commences on the day on which it is published in the *Gazette*.

FAILURE TO FILE ANNUAL RETURN

33. A leader who:
 - [a] does not file an annual return as required by section 31, and after having been warned by the Clerk in writing of his failure to do so, fails to file the return within a further 14 days; or
 - [b] files a return knowing that it is false in a material particular;is guilty of a breach of this Code.

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Mr. Peter TAURAKOTO
Ombudsman
Office of the Ombudsman
Port Vila
Vanuatu

Re: Submission of Annual Returns by Leaders for year 2006.

We acknowledge receipt of your letters of 14th May and 6th June 2007 in regards to the above.

To your queries we respond as follows:

1. The list of leaders who failed to submit their 2006 Annual Returns has been submitted to the State Law Office for publication in the Gazette.

That is the correct list, so please get the copy of the Gazette for your record.

2. No. But we did send the Leader's reminders.
3. Irrelevant.
4. We do not have any other relevant document for your record.

Yours sincerely,



Lino Bulekuli dit SAC
LINO BULEKULI
CLERK OF PARLIAMENT

[3] If yes, please provide a:

- [i] copy of the warning;
- [ii] list of the leaders whom the warning was sent to; and
- [iii] list of the leaders who responded to the reminder letter.

[4] Please explain why the leaders' names have not yet been gazetted?

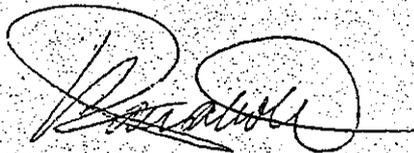
[5] Any documents you consider relevant to this matter.

Please respond to this request **before or by 28 May 2007**.

Confidentiality is important and is protected by s.28 of the Ombudsman Act. Breaching confidentiality may constitute an offence. This correspondence is directed only to you and anyone in your office with whom it is necessary to communicate in order to provide the information requested.

Please contact us if you have any questions. Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Yours sincerely



Peter K. TAURAKOTO
OMBUDSMAN OF THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU



Office of the Ombudsman
Bureau du Médiateur
Ofis blong Ombudsman



Our Ref: 1277/6162/L34/lbs

(Please quote this reference in all correspondence)

14 May 2007

Mr Lino B Sacsac
Clerk of Parliament
Parliament Chamber
PMB 052
PORT VILA

Dear Sir

SUBMISSION OF ANNUAL RETURNS BY LEADERS FOR YEAR 2006

We write in regards to the above matter.

We have received confirmation from the State Law Office that they have not received any report on the 2006 Annual Returns as yet in order to be gazetted.

This Office intends to commence an enquiry into this matter in accordance with the provisions of the Leadership Code Act.

Section 31(2) of the Leadership Code Act states that all "annual returns must be given to the Clerk of Parliament by 1 March each year or within two months of becoming a leader". Section 32(3) further states that "the Clerk must publish in the Gazette on or before 14 March each year a list of the leaders who have given or failed to give the Clerk an annual return. The list must set out the leader's name and the position of the leader holds."

Your Office had gone beyond **14 March 2007** as the date to gazette the names of leaders who failed to file their annual returns for 2006.

To assist this Office with this enquiry, please provide the following information and documents to our Office **before or by 28 May 2007**:

- [1] The list of the leaders who failed to submit their 2006 Annual Returns by the given date as provided by the Leadership Code Act [LCA].
- [2] Did you give them a warning as stated in s.33[a] of the Code?



LIST OF ALL THE LEADERS WHO HAVE FAILED TO GIVE
THE
CLERK AN ANNUAL RETURN FOR 2006

LISTE DES HAUTES AUTORITES QUI N'ONT REMIS AU
SECRETAIRE
GENERAL UNE DECLARATION ANNUELLE EN 2006

- | | | |
|-----|----------------------|--|
| 1. | Hon. Willie JIMMY | Minister of Finance
Ministry of Finance
Ministre des Finances
Ministère des Finances |
| 2. | Hon. Etap LOUIS | Member for Tanna
Dépûte de Tanna |
| 3. | Hon. Sela MOLISA | Member for Santo
Dépûte de Santo |
| 4. | Hon. Esmon SAEMON | Member for Malekula
Dépûte de Malekula |
| 5. | Hon. Leinavao TASO | Member for Epi
Dépûte d'Epi |
| 6. | Hon. Andikar PHILIP | Member for Santo
Dépûte de Santo |
| 7. | Hon. Kalsakau STEVEN | Member for Efate
Dépûte d'Efate |
| 8. | Hon. Jack ERIC | Member for Luganville
Dépûte de Luganville |
| 9. | Hon. Arnold Prasad | Member for Santo
Dépûte de Santo |
| 10. | Hon. Rokrok CHARLIE | Member for Malekula
Dépûte de Malekula |
| 11. | Hon. Tore PIERRE | Member for Port Vila
Dépûte de Port-Vila |
| 12. | Hon. Paul TELUKLUK | Member for Malekula
Dépûte de Malekula |
| 13. | George BOGIRI | First Political Advisor
Office of the Prime Minister
Premier Conseiller Politique
Bureau du Première Ministre |

14. Paul HAKWA
Third Political Advisor
Ministry of Internal Affairs
Troisième Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Affaires Intérieures.
15. Sam LOP
Second Political Advisor
Ministry of Finances
Deuxième Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Finances
16. Petré MALSUNGAI
First Political Advisor
Ministry of Lands
Premier Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Terres
17. Luna TASONG
Second Political Advisor
Ministry of Lands
Deuxième Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Terres
18. Hosea. TESSI
Third Political Advisor
Ministry of Lands
Troisième Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Terres
19. Colin NATONGA
First Political Advisor
Ministry of Ni-Vanuatu Business
Premier Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Affaires Ni- Vanuatuanes
20. Eric Peli KALOTITI
Second Political Advisor
Ministry of Ni-Vanuatu Business
Deuxième Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Affaires Ni- Vanuatuanes
21. Sethful SAKARI
First Political Advisor
Ministry of Agriculture
Premier Conseiller Politique
Ministère de l'Agriculture
22. Jeffrey LAW
Second Political Advisor
Ministry of Agriculture
Deuxième Conseiller Politique
Ministère de l'Agriculture
23. Eddie KALPUKAI
Third Political Advisor
Ministry of Agriculture
Troisième Conseiller Politique
Ministère de l'Agriculture
24. Pakoa KALTONGA
First Political Advisor
Ministry of Infrastructure
Premier Conseiller Politique
Ministère de l'Infrastructure
25. Bakon JOHNATHAN
Second Political Advisor
Ministry of Infrastructure
Deuxième Conseiller Politique
Ministère de l'Infrastructure
26. Maxwell MAJAMAJA
Third Political Advisor

- Ministry of Youth and Sport
Troisième Conseiller Politique
Ministère de la Jeunesse et des Sports
27. Andre LESINES
First Political Advisor
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Premier Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Affaires Etrangères
28. Salathiel VACAK
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Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Deuxième Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Affaires Etrangères
29. Johnathan SISAI
Third Political Advisor
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Troisième Conseiller Politique
Ministère des Affaires Etrangères
30. Mark BEBE
Secretary
Public Service Commission
Secrétaire
Commission de la Fonction Publique
31. Nadia KANEGAI
Member
Public Service Commission
Membre
Commission de la Fonction Publique
32. Kali VATOKO
Member
Public Service Commission
Membre
Commission de la Fonction Publique
33. Joe LINGO
Member
Public Service Commission
Membre
Commission de la Fonction Publique
34. Rita NAVITI
Member
Police Service Commission
Membre
Commission de la Police
35. Chief John TIMAKATA
Member
Police Service Commission
Membre
Commission de la Police
36. Tom BAKEO
Member
Police Service Commission
Membre
Commission de la Police
37. Emanley Arthur GOLDON
Acting Commissioner of Police
Commissaire de Police par Intérim
38. Simeon Malachi HARDY
Director General
Ministry of Finance
Directeur General
Ministère des Finances

39. John LITCH
General Manager
Department Postal Service
Secrétaire General
Services des Postes
40. Nancy WELLS
Director
Department of Economic and Social Planning
Directrice
Service de Développement, Economique et Social
41. Moses John AMOS
Director
Department of Fisheries
Directeur
Services des Pêches
42. Morrison BULE
Acting Director
Southern Community Health Service
Directeur Adjoint
Services de la Santé Communautaire du Sud
43. Michael MANGAWAI
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Department of Lands
Directeur
Service des Terres
44. Eric SAMMY
Director
Department of Geology, Mines and Water Resources
Directeur
Service de la Géologie, Mines et de l'Hydrologie
45. Ture KAILO
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Department of Youth and Sport
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Service de la Jeunesse et des Sports
46. Peter MORRIS
Director
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Directrice
Bureau de la Statistique
47. Jacob ISAIAH
Director
Department of Civil Status
Directeur
Services de l'Etat Civil
Bureau de la Statistique
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Public Prosecutor
Office of the Public Prosecutor
Procureur General
Bureau du Procureur General
49. Robert TASARURU
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Asset Management Unit
Membre
Unité de Gestion des Affaires
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Membre
Conseil d'Administration de la Banque de Réserve de Vanuatu

51. Kelip SANDY
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55. Jenny LIGO
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56. Serge LALOYER
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57. Johnas CULLWICK
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58. Derreck KERR
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87. Mishou KALSAU
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Conseil National de l'Habitat
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National Housing Cooperation
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National Council of Chiefs
Président
Conseil National des Chefs
90. Kaltang HENRI
Chairman
Education Selection Board
Président
Conseil de l'Orientation de l'Education
91. Tony ARTHUR
Member
Education Selection Board
Membre
Conseil de l'Orientation de l'Education
92. Leisavi TATANGIS
Member
Education Selection Board
Membre
Conseil de l'Orientation de l'Education
93. Michael KALORAI
Member
Education Selection Board
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Conseil de l'Orientation de l'Education
94. Sandy MANIURI
Member
Education Selection Board
Membre
Conseil de l'Orientation de l'Education
95. Serma RAUPEPE
Member
Teaching Service Commission
Membre
Commission du Service de l'Enseignement
96. Allan NAFUKI
Member
Teaching Service Commission
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Commission du Service de l'Enseignement
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 Vanuatu Commodities Marketing Board
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 Vanuatu Maritime Authority Board
 Président
 Autorité Maritime de Vanuatu
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 Bureau National de formation de Vanuatu
109. Sowany JOSEPH
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- Vanuatu National Sports Council
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Conseil Nationale de sports de Vanuatu
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114. Nacu MUELE
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Sanma Provincial Council
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Conseil Provincial de SANMA
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122. Pailaloloso VARAHU
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Sanma Provincial Council
Membre

123. Timothy NOV
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 Sanma Provincial Council
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 Conseil Provincial de SANMA
124. Leong OVA
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130. Bebe TELKON
 Secretary General
 Penama Provincial Council
 Secretaire General
 Conseil Provincial de PENAMA
131. Thompson LIU
 Member
 Penama Provincial Council
 Membre
 Conseil Provincial de PENAMA
132. Tamtam PHILEMON
 Member
 Penama Provincial Council
 Membre
 Conseil Provincial de PENAMA
133. Patrick TUGU
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134. Wilson TARIMURE
 Member
 Penama Provincial Council
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 Conseil Provincial de PENAMA

135. Vanuato Ben BERU
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136. Vuvu KERNARD
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137. Aron TOA
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138. Jeffrey MOLI
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142. Garae JACKSON
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Penama Provincial Council
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Conseil Provincial de PENAMA
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President
Malampa Provincial Council
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Conseil Provincial de MALAMPA
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145. Sarvanu RONSLY
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147. David WILLY
Member
Malampa Provincial Council

160. Samuel DONALD
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Shefa Provincial Council
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Conseil Provincial de SHEFA
161. Sope MALAS
Member
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162. Fred Pakoa ATAVIMARAKI
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Shefa Provincial Council
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Conseil Provincial de SHEFA
163. Nowo. VAKUMALI
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Shefa Provincial Council
Membre
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164. Barry TULANGI
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Conseil Provincial de SHEFA
165. Vatoko PABE
Member
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166. Samuel BERRY
Member
Shefa Provincial Council
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Conseil Provincial de SHEFA
167. Morrison ROY
Member
Shefa Provincial Council
Membre
Conseil Provincial de SHEFA
168. Thompson Willie TAURA
Member
Shefa Provincial Council
Membre
Conseil Provincial de SHEFA
169. Lazar TAOUS
Vice President
Tafea Provincial Council
Vice President
Conseil Provincial de TAFEFA
170. Stanley IAWAIN
Member
Tafea Provincial Council
Membre
Conseil Provincial de TAFEFA
171. Kassu NAUNG
Member
Tafea Provincial Council
Membre
Conseil Provincial de TAFEFA
172. George TURIK
Member

- Tafea Provincial Council**
Membre
Conseil Provincial de TAFEA
173. Denis SAVOIE
 Clerk
 Luganville Municipal Council
 Secrétaire Général
 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
174. Brownhill HARRY
 Lord Mayor
 Luganville Municipal Council
 Maire
 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
175. Terry WILSON
 Member
 Luganville Municipal Council
 Membre
 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
176. Mark Hivir KENNETH
 Member
 Luganville Municipal Council
 Membre
 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
177. Johnny BOB
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 Luganville Municipal Council
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 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
178. Hedley HOULOUN
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 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
179. Dereck LULUM
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180. Ronald LIATLATMAL
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 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
181. Jose IAPSE
 Member
 Luganville Municipal Council
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 Conseil Municipal de Luganville
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183. Robert SEULE
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184. Hian JOHNSON
 Member
 Port- Vila Municipal Council
 Membre

185. Charley SAKARAIA

Conseil Municipal de Port- Vila

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Le Greffier - Secrétaire Général

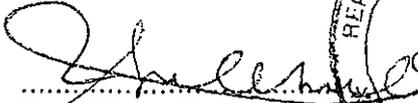
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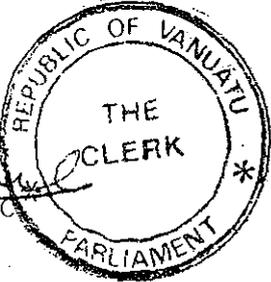
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In the matter of Constitution, Chapter 10, Article 67, and the Leadership Code Act No. 2 of 1998, (as amended by Act No. 7 of 1999)

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
(Section 31, Act No. of 1998)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN in accordance with the provisions of Section 1 of the Leadership Code Act No.7 of 1999 for Publication in the Gazette of the following list of Leaders who have failed to give the Clerk an annual return in 2006.


Lino BULEKULI dit SACSAC
Clerk of Parliament



MADE at Parliament House, Port Vila, this **11TH DAY OF JUNE 2007**

En Matière de la Constitution, Chapitre 10, Article 67 et de la Loi No. 2 de 1998 relative au Code de Conduite des Hautes Autorités, (telle que modifiée par la Loi No. 7 de 1999)

AVIS DE PUBLICATION
(Art. 31, Loi No. 2 de 1998)

IL EST PAR LES PRESENTES DONNE AVIS conformément aux dispositions de l'Article 1 de la Loi No. 7 de 1999 relative au Code de Conduite des Hautes Autorités de la Publication au Journal Officiel de la Liste suivante des hautes autorités qui n'ont pas remis au Secrétaire Général une déclaration annuelle en 2006.


Lino BULEKULI dit SACSAC
Secrétaire Général



FAIT au Parlement, Port-Vila, ce **11 JUIN 2007.**

REGULATIONS

The Minister may make regulations, not inconsistent with this Act, for all matters required or necessary to give effect to this Act.

COMMENCEMENT

32.

This Act commences on the date of its publication in the Gazette.

SCHEDULE

Form of Annual Return

Section 31

Leader's name:
Address:
Office or Position held:
Names of leader's spouse and children.
Address (if different from leader's address)

ASSETS

Real and personal property:
 Land
 Houses (except one family home)
 Vehicles (except one family vehicle)
 Boats and other vessels
 Other assets
Shares held
 Name of company
 Number of shares
Money in bank, credit union etc.
(Total only)
Income during previous year
Gifts received during the previous year

LIABILITIES

Liabilities
 Mortgage (except on family home)
 Other money owing

TRANSACTIONS

Assets acquired or disposed of during the year
Liabilities acquired or discharged

DIRECTORSHIPS AND OTHER OFFICES HELD

Name of company or other body
Position held

I declare that the information in this return is true.

Date

Signature of leader