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CORRECTIONAL SERVICES ACT 2007

(No. 8 of 2007)

CORRECTIONAL SERVICES REGULATIONS

SCHEDULE

FORM 1

EARLY RELEASE ON LICENCE ORDER

(Regulation 201)

I, Hon. Jimson Tanangada, Minister for Police, National Security and Correctional Services, under regulation 201 of the *Correctional Services Regulations* (Legal Notice No. 28 of 2008), order the release of the following person:

Name: Cecil Vote

Offence: Sexual Offence

Date of conviction: 11 November 2022

Court: High Court of Solomon Islands, Honiara

Term of imprisonment: 5 years and 6 months

Correctional Centre: Rove Central Correctional Centre

Supervisor: Richard Tufa, Programs and Rehabilitation Coordinator

Report at: Rove Central Correctional Centre to Commandant Cecil Nokia

The person named in this early release on licence order (the holder) is permitted to be released from the correctional centre within thirty days of the date of this order for the remaining part of their term of imprisonment.

The release order is immediately revoked if the holder is convicted of an offence within Solomon Islands.

This release order is subject to the further conditions specified. The release order is liable to be revoked for any breach of these conditions. The Minister may add conditions, vary the conditions or revoke the release order at any time.

Conditions of release:

1. The holder of this release order must produce it at the request of a Provincial Secretary, police officer, magistrate or judge.

2. The holder must not violate any law, or be charged with the commission of any offence under Solomon Islands law.
3. Prior to release from the correctional centre the holder must advise the Commandant where he or she intends to reside. After release the holder must go to the nominated residence as soon as practicable. Within 48 hours of arrival at the nominated residence, the holder must report personally to the Supervisor at the place specified.
4. The holder must continue to report to the Supervisor personally once each month. After 3 months of satisfactory conduct and reporting, the Supervisor may permit reporting by any other approved means including letter, telephone, radio or electronic communication.
5. If the holder changes their residence, he or she must notify the Supervisor of the intention to move at least 48 hours beforehand. If the change of residence requires a change to the Supervisor, the change of Supervisor must be approved by the Minister. The approved new Supervisor must attend the nearest correctional centre with the original release order and the holder to have the conditions and obligations of the release explained to them, and must acknowledge, in writing, that they understand the conditions and will comply with them. Notification of the variation must be forwarded to the Commandant of the named correctional centre with 7 days.
6. Despite condition 5, if the new Supervisor is a police officer, a correctional services officer or a public servant supervising the prisoner as part of his or her official duties, Ministerial approval and written acknowledgement is not required.
7. Within 48 hours of arrival at the new residence, the holder must report in person to the new Supervisor. If the holder had been satisfactorily reporting to the former Supervisor other than in person, the new Supervisor may permit reporting by other approved means.
8. The holder must comply with the other conditions or variation of conditions listed hereunder or endorsed on the back of this order.

Dated this seventh-day of January 2026.

HON. JIMSON TANANGADA
MINISTER FOR POLICE, NATIONAL SECURITY AND
CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
