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SOLOMON ISLANDS GAZETTE

NO. 129

Monday 22nd September

2025

EXTRA-ORDINARY GAZETTE

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SOLOMON ISLANDS INDEPENDENCE ORDER 1978

(L.N. No. 43 of 1978)

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 79(1) of the *Constitution*, and acting in accordance with the advice of the Judicial and Legal Service Commission, I, SIR DAVID TIVA KAPU, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Solomon Islands, do hereby appoint -

PUISNE JUDGE REX FAUKONA

as the Acting Chief Justice of the High Court of Solomon Islands with effect from 15th to 29th September, 2025, or until such time the substantive post holder resumes duty.

Given in Honiara under my hand this fifteenth- day of September 2025.

SIR DAVID TIVA KAPU

GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF SOLOMON ISLANDS

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OFFICIAL OATHS ACT

(Cap. 24)

JUDICIAL OATH

I, REX FAUKONA, do swear that I will well and truly serve His Majesty King Charles III, His Heirs and Successors, as Acting Chief Justice, in the Office of The Acting Chief Justice of The High Court of Solomon Islands, and will do right to all manner of people after the Laws and Usages of Solomon Islands, without fear or favour, affection or ill will.

So help me God.

Justice Rex Faulkona

Sworn before me:

SIR DAVID TIVA KAPU, Knight Grand
Cross of Saint Michael and Saint George,
Governor General and Commander-in-Chief
of Solomon Islands.

Dated at Honiara this sixteenth- day of September 2025.

SIR DAVID TIVA KAPU
GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF SOLOMON ISLANDS

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OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, REX FAUKONA, do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His
Majesty King Charles III, His Heirs and Successors, according to Law.

So help me God.

Justice Rex Faulkona

Sworn before me:

SIR DAVID TIVA KAPU, Knight Grand
Cross of Saint Michael and Saint George,
Governor General and Commander-in-Chief
of Solomon Islands.

Dated at Honiara this sixteenth- day of September 2025.

SIR DAVID TIVA KAPU
GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF SOLOMON ISLANDS
