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LEGAL NOTICE

The following are published as a Supplement to this Gazette:
[Legal Notice Nos. 269 to 273]

[Legal Notice No. 269]

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1997

(Act No. 7 of 1997)

REVOCATION

I, Hon. Rollen Seleso, Minister for Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening:

- (a) under section 9 of the *Provincial Government Act 1997* (Act No. 7 of 1997), and with reference to section 36(a) of the *Interpretation and General Provisions Act* (Cap. 85), revoke Gazette Notices Nos 849 and 851 (published Gazette Edition No. 307, 7 November 2022); and
- (b) under regulation 9 of the *Provincial Government (Election) Regulations 2010* (Legal Notice 148 of 2010), and with reference to section 36a of the *Interpretation and General Provisions Act* (Cap. 85), revoke Gazette Notices Nos 848 and 850 (published Gazette Edition No. 307, 7 November 2022).

Dated this ninth-day of December 2022

HON. ROLLEN SELESO

MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
AND INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING

[Legal Notice No. 270]

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1997

(Act No. 7 of 1997)

REVOCATION

I, Hon. Rollen Seleso, Minister for Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening, in exercise of powers conferred by the *Provincial Government Act 1997* (Act No. 7 of 1997), revoke Legal Notice No. 205 of 2022 and Legal Notice No. 206 of 2022 (Gazette Edition No. 209, 24 June 2022).

Dated this ninth-day of December 2022

HON. ROLLEN SELESO

MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
AND INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING

[Legal Notice No. 271]

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1997

(Act No. 7 of 1997)

ORDER

**TIME OF ELECTION OF PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY
OF CHOISEUL PROVINCE**

I, Hon. Rollen Seleso, Minister for Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening, by this Order under section 9(1)(b) of the *Provincial Government Act 1997* (Act No. 7 of 1997), being satisfied that to do so is in the public interest and having consulted with the Premier of Choiseul Province, appoint 14 December 2022 as the date for holding the election of the Provincial Assembly of Choiseul Province.

Dated this ninth-day of December 2022

HON. ROLLEN SELESO

MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
AND INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING

[Legal Notice No. 272]

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1997

(Act No. 7 of 1997)

ORDER

**TIME OF ELECTION OF PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY
OF WESTERN PROVINCE**

I, Hon. Rollen Seleso, Minister for Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening, by this Order under section 9(1)(b) of the *Provincial Government Act 1997* (Act No. 7 of 1997), being satisfied that to do so is in the public interest and having consulted with the Premier of Western Province, appoint 14 December 2022 as the date for holding the election of the Provincial Assembly of Western Province.

Dated this ninth-day of December 2022

HON. ROLLEN SELESO

MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
AND INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING

[Legal Notice No. 273]

**PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT (ELECTION)(AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS 2022**

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PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1997
(Act No. 7 of 1997)

**PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT (ELECTION)(AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS 2022**

I, Hon. Rollen Seleso, Minister for Provincial Government and Institutional Strengthening, under section 12 of the *Provincial Government Act 1997* (Act No. 7 of 1997), with reference to section 36(a) of the *Interpretation and General Provisions Act* (Cap. 85), make the following Regulations:

1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Provincial Government (Election) (Amendment) Regulations 2022*.

2 Commencement

These Regulations commence on the date on which they are published in the Gazette.

3 Amendment of Provincial Government (Election) Regulations

These Regulations amend the *Provincial Government (election) Regulations 2010* (Legal Notice No. 148 of 2010) (“*Principal Regulations*”).

4 Suspension of operation of regulation 9

- (1) The operation of regulation 9 of the *Principal Regulations* is suspended until 15 December 2022.

- (2) On 15 December 2022, regulation 9 has effect again.

5 Elections of provincial assemblies of Western Province and Choiseul Province

- (1) The next election of the members of the Western Province Provincial Assembly and the Choiseul Province Provincial Assembly must be held on 14 December 2022.
- (2) For those elections:
- (a) Patrick Toiraena is the Returning Officer for Western Province; and
 - (b) Nelson Tanito Kere is the Returning Officer for Choiseul Province; and
 - (c) nominations of candidates for each election must have been received by the respective Returning officer not later than 4 pm on 16 November 2022.

6 Expiry of Regulations

These Regulations expire on 16 December 2022.

Note:

A provision of these Regulations that is expressed to take effect on a particular day takes effect from the beginning of that day.

Dated this ninth-day of December 2022

HON. ROLLEN SELESO
 MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
 AND INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING
