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INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA

THE CONSTITUTION

The Right Honourable Sir Michael Somare proposes to introduce the **Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-Level Governments (Amendment) Law** and pursuant to **Section 14 (2) (Making of alterations to the Constitution and Organic Laws)** of the Constitution, I, JOHN PUNDARI, Speaker of the National Parliament, hereby publish the proposed Law -

Draft of: 28/09/98.

INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA.

PROPOSED LAW TO ALTER THE ORGANIC LAW ON PROVINCIAL  
GOVERNMENTS AND LOCAL-LEVEL GOVERNMENTS

Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-level Governments  
(Amendment) Law.

ARRANGEMENT OF CLAUSE.

Establishment of Provincial and District Treasury (Amendment of Section 112).

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**INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA.**

**A PROPOSED LAW TO ALTER THE ORGANIC LAW ON PROVINCIAL  
GOVERNMENTS AND LOCAL-LEVEL GOVERNMENTS**

entitled

**Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-Level Governments  
(Amendment) Law.**

Being a Law to amend the Organic Law on Provincial Governments and Local-Level Governments.

**MADE** by the National Parliament.

**ESTABLISHMENT OF PROVINCIAL AND DISTRICT TREASURY  
(AMENDMENT OF SECTION 112).**

Section 112 of the Organic Law on Provincial and Local-Level Governments is amended -

- (a) in Subsection (2) by repealing the words "Departmental Head of the Department responsible for finance matters after consultation with the Departmental Head of the Department responsible for personnel matters" and replacing them with the following:-

"Provincial Administrator of the Province after consultation with the Departmental Head of the Department responsible for finance matters and Departmental Head of Department responsible for personnel matters"; and

- (b) in Subsection (4) by repealing the words the "Departmental Head of the Department responsible for finance matters may assign such additional officers and employees as he considers necessary for purposes of adequately carrying out the functions of financial control under this Organic Law and in accordance with an Act of the Parliament" and replacing them with the following:-

"The Provincial Administrator may assign such additional officers and employees as he considers necessary after consultation with the Departmental Head of the Department responsible for finance matters, for the purposes of adequately carrying out the functions of financial control under this Organic Law and in accordance with an Act of Parliament"; and

- (c) in Subsection (6) by repealing the words "The Departmental Head of the Department responsible for finance matters shall oversee the affairs of the Provincial and District Treasury" and replacing them with the following:-

"The Provincial Administrator shall oversee the affairs of the Provincial and District Treasury in consultation with the Departmental Head of Department responsible for finance matters"