
[Legal Notice No. 3]

THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT (EXTENSION OF TIME FOR
APPOINTMENTS OF CHIEFS AND ELDERS)
(TEMOTU PROVINCE) ORDER 1997

WHEREAS section 31 of the Provincial Government Act 1996 requires that appointment of chiefs and elders to an Assembly be made not later than seven days after the election for that Area Assembly:

AND WHEREAS due to unforeseen circumstances a meeting for the appointment of chiefs and elders to all Temotu Area Assemblies was not convened within seven days:

AND WHEREAS section 68 of the Provincial Government Act 1996, gives power to the Minister to make necessary Orders to give effect to any provision of the Act where the circumstances so require or when resolving, determining or adjusting any doubt, question or matter.

AND WHEREAS the Minister deems it necessary and expedient for the making of this Order:

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. This Order may be cited as the Provincial Government (Extension of Time for Appointment of Chiefs and Elders) (Temotu Province Order 1997).
2. It is hereby ordered that for the purposes of section 31 of the said Act, the time for the convening of a meeting for the appointment of chiefs and elders for the Area Assembly shall be convened on a date not later than 3rd February 1997.

Dated at Honiara this sixth day of January 1997.

ALLAN QURUSU
Minister of Provincial Government and Rural Development