

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF FIJI**  
**AT SUVA**  
**CRIMINAL JURISDICTION**

**Criminal Case No: HAC116 OF 2012**

**BETWEEN** : **THE STATE**  
**AND** : **TUI MATEO**  
**BEFORE** : **HON. MR. JUSTICE PAUL MADIGAN**  
Counsel : Mr. J. Niudamu for the State  
Accused in person  
Dates of hearing : 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2013  
Date of judgment : 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2013

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**JUDGMENT**

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[1] Tui Mateo you have been charged with the following offence:

**Statement of Offence**

**RAPE**: Contrary to section 207(1)(2)(a) of the Crimes Decree No. 44 of 2009.

**Particulars of Offence**

TUI MATEO on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March 2012 at Suva in the Central Division, had carnal knowledge of a girl namely MEREWAIRITA RASEKA without her consent.

[2] In the unanimous opinion of three assessors you have been found guilty of the offence. In directing myself on my own summing up, I agree and also find you guilty. You are convicted of the offence accordingly.

[3] That is the judgment of the Court.

Paul K. Madigan  
**JUDGE**

At Suva  
3<sup>rd</sup> April 2013