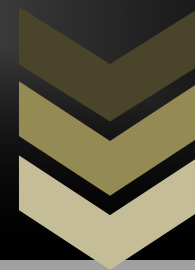


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Bougainville Referendum Regulation 2019	S.I.02/2019	03.05.2019	
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Central Banking (Foreign Exchange and Gold) (Amendment) Regulation 1994	13/1994	09.11.1994	
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Citizenship (Amendment) Act 1978	33/1978	23.09.1981	12
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Citizenship (Amendment) Act 2016	8/2016	NIF	
Citizenship (Amendment) Act 2016	42/2016	22.12.2016	
Citizenship (Amendment) Regulation 1975	61/1975	NIF	
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Citizenship (Amendment) Regulation 2014	3/2014	NIF	
Citizenship (Amendment) Regulation 2017	5/2017	11.05.2015 <i>G411/2017</i>	
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Civil Aviation Aircraft Certification and Maintenance (Offences) Regulation	1/2022		
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Civil Aviation (Amendment) Regulation 1988	1/1988		
Civil Aviation General Operating and Flight Rules (Offences) Regulation 2022	2/2022		
Civil Aviation (Grant, etc. of License) Regulation 1976	6/1977	06.10.1977	239
Civil Aviation Regulation 1975	51/1975	16.09.1975	239
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Classification of Publication (Censorship) Act 1989	18/1989	23.07.1990	
Classification of Publication (Censorship) (Amendment) Act 2016	10/2016	NIF	
Classification of Publication (Censorship) (Amendment) Regulation 1998	14/1998	01.01.1999	
Classification of Publication (Censorship) (Amendment) Regulation 2011	8/2011	17.05.2011	
Classification of Publication (Censorship) Regulation 1990	10/1990	Note	
Climate Change (Management) Act 2015	19/2015	01.01.2016	G22/2016
Climate Change (Management) (Amendment) Act 2021	25/2021	7.04.2022	G289/2022
Climate Change (Management) (Amendment) Act 2023	17/2023	22.03.2024	G191/2024
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Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours Regulations 1938 (TNG) (Omitted)			
Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours Regulation 1948	13/1948	01.12.1948	
Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours Regulation 1948 [Amendment]	3/1948	03.03.1948	
Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours Regulation 1948 [Amendment]	10/1948	01.09.1948	
Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours Regulation 1950 [Amendment]	1/1950	06.02.1950	
Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours Regulation 1953 [Amendment]	49/1953	15.10.1953	
Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours Regulation 1954 [Amendment]	4/1954	18.02.1954	
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Regulation 1958 [Amendment] Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours	27/1958	21.08.1958	
Regulation 1959 [Amendment] Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours]	14/1959	02.07.1959	
Regulation 1960 [Amendment] Coastal shipping, Ports and Harbours	16/1960	14.04.1960	
Regulation 1960 [Amendment] Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours	25/1960	14.07.1960	
Regulation 1963 [Amendment] Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours	19/1963	09.05.1963	
Regulation 1964 [Amendment] Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours	35/1964	03.12.1964	
Regulation 1966 [Amendment] Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours	8/1966	24.03.1966	
Regulation 1966 [Amendment] Coastal Shipping, Ports and Harbours	32/1966	08.12.1966	
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Coffee Industry Corporation (Statutory Functions and Powers) (Amendment) Act 1996	7/1996	18.09.1996	
Coffee Industry Corporation (Statutory Functions and Powers) (Amendment) Act 2003	6/2003	26.09.2003	
Coffee (Prohibited Exports): <i>see Customs Act</i>			
Colonial Courts of Admiralty Act 1890 (Imp) 53 & 54 Vict c27			
Commencement of Legislation (Special Provisions) Act 1975	113/1975	24.11.1975	
Commerce (Trade Descriptions) Act 1952	46/1952	11.12.1952	284
Commercial Advertisement (Protection of Local Industry) Act 1985	7/1985	28.06.1985	407
Commercial Advertisement (Protection of Local Industry) (Amendment) Act 1986	1/1986	06.03.1986	
Commercial Advertisement (Protection of Local Industry) (Amendment No 2) Act 1986	61/1986	20.01.1987	
Commercial Advertisement (Protection of Local Industry) (Amendment) Act 1987	4/1987	17.03.1987	
Commercial Advertisement (Protection of Public) Act 1976	68/1976	21.04.1977	352
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Commissions of Inquiry (Amendment) Act 2000	7/2000	04.07.2000	
Common employment: <i>see Wrongs (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act</i>			
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Companies (Amendment) Act 2011	17/2011	NIF	
Companies (Amendment) Act 2014	16/2014	08.12.2014	
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Compulsory Third Party Motor Vehicles Insurance Industry Act 2002	9/2002	20.06.2002	
Congregation of the Passion of Jesus Christ Act 1995	22/1995	03.10.1995	
Connect PNG (Implementation and Funding Arrangement) Act 2021	18/2021	1.02.2022. G81/2022	
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Conservation and Environment Protection Authority (Amendment) Act 2019	1/2019	NIF	

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Conservation Areas (Amendment) Act 2014	2/2014	01.12.2014	
Conservation Areas (Amendment) Act 2015	48/2015	23.11.2016	
Constitution of the Autonomous Region of Bougainville New Guinea		Part XXV 22. 12. 2004 shall come into operation, together with such other Provisions as are necessary to enable the first general election of the president and members of the house of Representatives.	
Constitution (Amendment) Law		Not certified	
Constitutional Amendment No 1-Provincial Government		30.09.1976	
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Constitutional Amendment No 3-Provincial Government		31.12.1976	
Constitutional Amendment No 4-Leadership Code		31.12.1976	
Constitutional Amendment No 5-Citizenship		23.03.1977	
Constitutional Amendment No 6-Benefits and Pensions		02.09.1980	
Constitutional Amendment No 7-Suspension and Re-establishment of Provincial Governments (Consequential Amendment) Act 1988		15.11.1983	
Constitutional Amendment No. 8-Public Services Commission		24.04.1986	
Constitutional Amendment No. 9- Salaries and Remuneration Commission		01.09.1988	
Constitutional Amendment No. 10- Parliament and Finance		01.09.1988	
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Constitutional Amendment No 13-Protection of the Law		03.07.1991	
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Constitutional Amendment No 17-Further Provisions relating to Provincial Governments and Local-level Governments No 17		22.01.1996	
Constitutional Amendment No 18-Commencement of Constitutional Amendments Nos. 16 and 17		25.03.1997	
Constitutional Amendment No.19 Elections		09.04.1997	
Constitutional Amendment No. 20-Commencement of Constitutional Amendment No. 16 and 17 Further Amendments		19.01.1998	
Constitutional Amendment No 21-The Salaries and Remuneration Commission No 21		13.11.1998	
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Constitutional Amendment No 24—Electoral Reforms No. 24		25.06.2002	
Constitutional Amendment No 25—The State Services No 25		11.08.2003	
Constitutional Amendment No 26—Organic Laws No 26		16.09. 1975	
Constitutional Amendment No 27—Sales and Services Tax No 27 Note			
Constitutional Amendment No 28—Police Force No 28		13.04.2004	
Constitutional Amendment No 29—Regulatory Statutory Authorities No 29		12.08.2004	
Constitutional Amendment No. 30 (Number of Ministers) Law 2010		24.06.2010	
Constitutional Amendment No. 31 (Provincial Electorates) Law 2010		18.05.2012	<i>G187/12</i>
Constitutional Amendment No. 32 (Equality and Participation Law 2011			to come into operation on the issue of writs for

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Constitutional Amendment No. 34 - Law 2010		NIF	
Constitutional Amendment No. 35 – Provincial Electorates Law 2012		to come into operation immediately after the coming into operation of the Const. Amd't No. 31 (Provincial Electorate) 2010	
Constitutional Amendment No. 36 – Motions of No Confidence Law		25.02.2013	
Constitutional Amendment No. 37 – Citizenship) Law 2014		17.03.2014	
Constitutional Amendment No. 38 – (Appointment of Certain Offices) Law 2014		14.05.2014	
Constitutional Amendment No. 39 – (Calling, etc. of the Parliament) Law 2013		22.5.2014	
Constitutional Amendment No. 40 - Independent Commission Against Corruption) Law 2014		29.08.2014	
Constitutional Amendment No. 41 (Motions of No Confidence) Law 2013		5.08.2013	
Constitutional Amendment No. 43 (Dual Citizenship) Law 2016		29.08.2016	
Constitutional Amendment No. 44 (Papua New Guinea's Ownership of Hydrocarbons and Minerals and the Consolidation and Commercialisation of			

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Constitutional Amendment no.46 (Number of Ministers) Law 2023		21.12.2023	
Constitutional Amendment No. 47 (Court Restructure) Law 2024		13.08.2024	
Constitutional Amendment No. 48 (Motions of No Confidence) Law 2025		17.03.2025	
Constitutional Amendment No. 49 (Declaration of Papua New Guinea as a Christian Country) Law 2025		17.03.2025	
Constitutional and Law Reform Commission Act 2004	24/2004	02.05.2005	
Constitutional and Law Reform Commission (Amendment) Act 2009	2/2009	28.07.2009	
Constitutional Change (Consequential Provisions) Act 1973	93/1973	01.09.1975	
Constitutional Changes (Consequential Amendments) Act 1988	17/1988	01.09.1988	
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Constitutional Office-Holders, Certain, Organic Law on: <i>see Constitutional Laws and Documents</i>			
Constitutional Office-Holders Retirement Benefits Act 1986	70/1986	03.02.1987	
Constitutional Office-Holders Retirement Benefits (Consequential Amendments) Act 1986	71/1986	03.02.1987	
Constitutional Office-Holders, The Guarantee of the Rights and Independence of (Organic Law on): <i>see Constitutional Laws and Documents</i>			
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Constitution of the Independent State of Papua New Guinea: <i>see Constitutional Laws and Documents</i>			
Consular Fees Act 1983	26/1983	NIF	
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Co-operative Societies Regulation 2003	1/2003	10.07.2003	
Co-operative Societies Regulations 1967	4/1967	02.02.1967	389
Co-operative Societies Regulations 1969 [Amendment]	16/1969	10.04.1969	389
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Copra Inspection Regulations 1953	18/1953	12.03.1953	211
Copra Inspection Regulations 1956 [Amendment]	33/1956	18.10.1956	211
Copra Inspection Regulations 1957 [Amendment]	46/1957	02.01.1958	211
Copra Inspection Regulations 1962 [Amendment]	11/1962	22.03.1962	211
Copra Marketing Board Act 1983	9/1983	15.11.1984	212
Copra Marketing Board (Amendment) Act 1986	43/1986	18.12.1986	
Copra Marketing Board (Amendment) Act 1997	14/1997	18.02.1999	
Copra Marketing Board Regulation 1985	15/1985	15.11.1984	212
Copyright and Neighbouring Rights Act 2000	21/2000	01.07.2002	
Coroners Act 1953	43/1953	14.07.1955	32
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Customs Tariff (Budget Provisions) Act 1994	31/1994	09.11.1994	
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Departure Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1993	39/1993	01.01.1994	
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Emergency (Defence Force) Act 1994	22/1994	27.10.1994	
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Emergency (General Powers) Act 1984	3/1984	NIF	
Emergency (General Powers) Act 1994	23/1994	10.10.1994	
Emergency (General Powers) (Amendment) Act 1986	21/1986	NIF	
Emergency (General Powers) Act 2018	2/2018	01.03.2018	
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Emergency (General Provisions) (COVID 19) Act 2020	2/2020	9.04.2020	
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Employment of Non-Citizens (Amendment) Act 2008	6/2008	01.01.2009	
Employment of Non-Citizens (Amendment) Act 2013	12/2013	02.01.2014	
Employment of Non-Citizens (Amendment) Act 2016	12/2016	NIF	
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Environment (Amendment) Act 2010	6/2010	09.07.2010	
Environment (Amendment) Act 2012	2/2012	21.02.2012	
Environment (Amendment) Act 2014	10/2014	01.12.2014 only Part II	
Environment (Amendment) Act 2015	49/2015	23.11.2016	
Environment (Control of Biodegradable Plastic Shopping Bags) Regulation 2011	S.I. 3/2011	07.07.2011	G177/2011
Environment (Council's Procedure) Regulation 2002	29/2002	02.01.2004	G136/2003
Environment (Fees and Charges) Regulation 2002	31/2002	02.01.2004	G136/2003
Environment (Fees and Charges) (Amendment) Regulation 2011	6/2011	07.07.2011	G177/2011
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Excise (Amendment) Act 2001	16/ 2001	27.11.2001	
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Excise (Amendment) Regulation 2001	6/2001	29.11.2001	
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Excise (Beer) (Amendment) Regulation 1982	19/1982	01.01.1983	
Excise (Beer) Regulations 1952	35/1952	08.12.1952	106
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Excise (Budget Provisions 2000) Act 1999	18/1999	01.01.2000	
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Excise (PNG LNG Project) (Amendment) act 2008	7/2008	22.05.2008	
Excise Regulation 1976 [Amendment]	8/1976	29.06.1976	105
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Excise Tariff (No 2) 1965	68/1965	14.02.1966	107
Excise Tariff 1966	49/1966	09.09.1966	107
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Excise Tariff (2004 Budget Provisions Amendment) Act 2003	28/2003	01.12.2003	
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Excise Tariff (2007 Budget Amendment) Act 2006	20/2006	Various	
Excise Tariff (2008 Budget Amendment) Act 2007	28/2007	Various	
Excise Tariff (2012 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2011	10/2011	01.01.2012	
Excise Tariff (2013 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2012	14/2012	in respect of schedule A on 30.11.2012 and in respect of schedule B on 01.01.2013	
Excise Tariff (2014 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2013	18/2013	01.01.2014	
Excise Tariff (2015 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2014	43/2014	30.11.2014	
Excise Tariff (2017 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2016	45/2016	in respect of subsection 1 on 01.12.2016 in respect of subsection 2 on 01.01.2017	
Excise Tariff (2020 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2019	24/2019	deem to come to operation 01.01.2020 Paragraphs (a) (b) & (c) on 6/12/2019 and	

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Excise Tariff (Amendment No 2) Act 1981	41/1981	03.11.1981	107
Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 1982	22/1982	07.12.1982	107
Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 1983	45/1983	01.11.1983	107
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Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 1988	19/1988	08.11.1988	
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Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 1997	21/1997	19.11.1997	
Excise Tariff (Amendment No 2) Act 1998	7/1998	01.01.1998	
Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 1999	3/1999	10.08.1999	
Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 2000	4/2000	04.04.2000	
Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 2014	19/2014	01.01.2012	
Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 2014	20/2014	01.06.2014	
Excise Tariff (Amendment) Act 2017	2/2017	01.01.2017	
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Excise Tariff (Budget Provisions 2001) Act 2000	44/2000	28.11.2000	
Excise Tariff (P'nyang LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2022	24/2022	30.05.2022	
Excise Tariff (Papua LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2019	6/2019	27.05.2020	
Excise Tariff (PNG LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2008	8/2008	22.05.2008	
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Firearms (Amendment) Act 2016	13/2016	13/2016	NIF
Firearms (Amendment) Act 2018	3/2018	21.05.2018	
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Forestry (Amendment) Act 2000	36/2000	29.01.2001	
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Forestry (Amendment) Act 2007	19/2007	24.01.2008	
Forestry (Amendment) Act 2010	4/2010	20.05.2010	
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Forestry (Amendment) Regulation 2010	7/2010	20.05.2010	
Forestry Regulation 1998	3/1998	24.01.1996	
Forestry (Timber Permits Validation) Act 2007	20/2007	24.01.2008	
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Gaming Control (2022 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2021	30/2021	to come into operation in accordance with the commencement of the Tax Administration Act 2017 by a notice in the National Gazette.	
Gaming Control (Exclusivity Period Casino Licence) Regulation 2007	13/2007	07.09.2007	
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Goods and Services Tax (2008 Budget Amendment) Act 2007	29/2007	Various	
Goods and Services Tax (2011 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2010	17/2010	01.01.2011	
Goods and Services Tax (2012 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2011	11/2011	sections 3 & 4 on 01.01.2011 and the remainder of the Act 01.01.2012	
Goods and Services Tax (2015 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2014	44/2014	01.01.2015	
Goods and Services Tax (2019 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2018	20/2018	01.01.2019	
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Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Act 2007	11/2007	03.10.2007	
Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Act 2010	1/2010	03.03.2010	
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Goods and Services Tax (Supplementary Budget) (Amendment) Act 2022	52/2022	1.11.2022	
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Goods and Services Tax Revenue Distribution (2006 Budget Provisions Amendment) Act 2005	14/2005	01.01.2006	
Goods and Services Tax Revenue Distribution (2007 Budget Amendment) Act 2006	22/2006	01.01.2007	
Goods and Services Tax Revenue Distribution Act 2003	14/2003	01.01.2004	
Goods and Services Tax Revenue Distribution (Amendment) Act 2004	21/2004	01.01.2004	
Goods and Services Tax Revenue Distribution (Repeal) Act 2009	28/2009	NIF	
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Income Tax (2005 Budget Amendment) Act 2004	22/2004	11.02.2005	
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Income Tax (2011 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2010	18/2010	in respect section 1 on 01.01.2001 the remainder of the act on 01.01.2011	
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		01.01.2013 which relate to an income year commencing on or after 01.01.2012 and in respect of sections 4-7 deemed to operate from 01.01.2013.	
Income Tax (2014 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2013	19/2013	01.01.2014	
Income Tax (2015 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2014	45/2014		
Income Tax (2016 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2015	34/2015	18.09.2014,01.01.2014 & 01.01.2016	
Income Tax (2017 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2016	47/2016	Sec.1 on 18.09.2014 and the remainder on 01.01.2017	
Income Tax (2019 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2018	21/2018	with respect to Sec.3 on 01.01.2012 and with respect to Sec. 4, 5 and 8 on 01.01.2017 and with respect to the remainder on 01.01.2019	
Income Tax (2021 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2020	37/2020	In respect of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 9 in accordance with a notice in the gazette. In respect of Section 6 –retrospective to 1 January 2019. In respect of Sections 7, 8 10 and 11 – retrospective to 1 January 2020.	
Income Tax (2022 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2021	32/2021	deemed to come into operation: - in respect of Clauses 2, 12 and 20 – on 1 January 2022 in respect of Clauses 9, 20, 22(ii), 25 and 26 – on 1 January 2022 in respect of the remainder of the Act – in accordance with the commencement of the Tax Administration Act 2017 by a notice in the National Gazette.	
Income Tax (2023 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2022	72/2022	In respect of Section 1 on 24 March 2022 and In respect of Section 2 on 1 January 2023.	

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Income Tax (2025 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2024	16/2024	13.12.2024	
Income Tax Act 1959	26/1959	01.08.1959	
Income Tax Act 1960	29/1960	01.08.1959	
Income Tax Act (No 2) 1960	52/1960	Note	
Income Tax Act 1961	11/1961	29.06.1961	
Income Tax Act (No 2) 1961	18/1961	01.07.1960	
Income Tax Act 1962	47/1962	01.07.1962	
Income Tax Act 1963	57/1963	21.11.1963	
Income Tax Act 1964	43/1964	01.07.1964	
Income Tax Act 1965	9/1965	04.03.1965	
Income Tax Act (No 2) 1965	41/1965	01.07.1965	
Income Tax Act 1966	9/1966	04.04.1966	
Income Tax Act (No 2) 1966	31/1966	01.07.1966	
Income Tax Act (No 3) 1966	64/1966	01.07.1966	
Income Tax Act 1967	59/1967	01.07.1967	
Income Tax Act (No 2) 1967	88/1967	01.07.1967	
Income Tax Act 1968	49/1968	01.07.1968	
Income Tax Act (No 2) 1968	81/1968	20.02.1969	
Income Tax (Additional Profits from Petroleum) Act 1976	71/1976	31.12.1976	
Income Tax (Allowances and Rebates) Act 1973	65/1973	06.12.1973	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1969	77/1969	01.07.1969	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1970	64/1970	01.07.1970	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1972	49/1972	05.10.1972	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1973	36/1973	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1974	70/1974	07.11.1974	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1975	117/1975	24.11.1975	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1976	36/1976	19.07.1976	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1978	23/1978	31.03.1978	

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Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Act 1978	47/1978	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment No 3) Act 1978	69/1978	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1979	1/1979	16.03.1979	
Income Tax (Amendment) (No 2) Act 1979	20/1979	03.09.1979	
Income Tax (Amendment) (No 3) Act 1979	23/1979	24.09.1979	
Income Tax (Amendment) (No 4) Act 1979	50/1979	01.01.1980	
Income Tax (Amendment) (No 1) Act 1980	22/1980	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1981	22/1981	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1983	20/1983	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1986	64/1986	11.11.1986	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1988	6/1988	20.09.1988	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1989	9/1989	08.08.1989	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1991	37/1991	01.01.1991	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1993	42/1993	17.12.1993	
Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Act 1993	5/1994	07.04.1994	
Income Tax (Amendment No 3) Act 1993	25/1993	15.09.1993	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1994	12/1994	01.03.1994	
Income Tax (Amendment No 3) Act 1994	35/1994	Various	
Income Tax (Amendment No 3) Act 1995	26/1995	01.01.1996	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1996	14/1996	Various	
Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Act 1996	68/1996	Various	
Income Tax (Amendment No 3) Act 1996	41/1996	01.01.1997	
Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Act 1998	10/1998	Various	
Income Tax (Amendment No 3) Act 1998	19/1998	Various	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 1999	5/1999	01.09.1999	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2000	28/2000	01.01.2000	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2001	23/2001	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2003	10/2003	01.01.2004	

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Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2007	12/2007	03.10.2007	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2009	17/2009	awaiting gaz.	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2010	2/2010	03.03.2010	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2010	5/2010	18.05.2010	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2014	12/2014	05.08.2014	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2014	35/2014	to come into operation a notice in gazette	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2015	35/2015	28.11.2000	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2017	14/2017	01.01.2017	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2019	25/2019	In respect of Sections 1,2,3 and 6 in accordance with a notice in the national gazette.	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2022	5/2022	25.03.2022	
Income Tax (Amendment) Act 2022.	18/2022	NIF	
		In respect of Section 4 on 01.01.2019	
		In respect of Section 7 on 01.01.2018	
		In respect of the remainder of the Act on 01.01.2020	
Income Tax (Amendment of Section 213A) Act 1976	37/1976	19.07.1976	
Income Tax (Amendment of Section 40B) Act 1977	38/1977	24.11.1977	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1974	34/1974	21.11.1974	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1975	60/1975	04.12.1975	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1976	15/1976	29.06.1976	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1978	36/1978	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1979	30/1979	01.01.1980	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1980	27/1980	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1981	40/1981	01.01.1982	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1983	21/1983	01.01.1984	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1984	24/1984	01.01.1985	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1985	12/1985	Note	

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Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1986	25/1986	01.01.1987	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1987	13/1987	01.01.1988	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1988	5/1988	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Regulation 1988	7/1988	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1989	16/1989	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1990	21/1990	01.01.1991	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1991	6/1991	01.08.1991	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1992	8/1992	01.05.1992	
Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Regulation 1992	14/1992	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1993	2/1993	01.01.1993	
Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Regulation 1993	3/1993	01.01.1994	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1994	4/1994	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment No 2) Regulation 1994	5/1994	29.06.1994	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1994	14/1994	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1995	7/1995	01.01.1995	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1996	5/1996	Note	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1998	7/1998	10.03.1998	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1998	10/1998	01.01.1999	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1999	3/1999	N.I.F	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 1999 [No 2]	8/1999	N.I.F	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 2001	7/2001	01.06.2001	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 2004	5/2004	01.01.2001	
Income Tax (Amendment) Regulation 2005	1/2005	Gazettal	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates Act 1984	34/1984	06.11.1984	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1986	53/1986	01.01.1987	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1987	35/1987	01.01.1988	

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Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1988	20/1988	Various	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1989	25/1989	Various	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1990	36/1990	01.01.1991	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1992	35/1992	01.01.1993	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rate (Amendment) Act 1994	6/1994	01.01.1994	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment No 2) Act 1994	39/1994	01.01.1995	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1996	64/1996	01.01.1996	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 1998	17/1998	01.01.1998	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Budget Provisions 1996) Act 1995	27/1995	01.01.1996	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Budget Provisions) Act 1997	22/1997	01.01.1998	
Income Tax and Dividend (Withholding) Tax Rates (Budget Provisions 1999) Act 1998	34/1998	01.01.1999	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions 1996) Act 1995	46/1995	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions 1996) Regulation 1995	21/1995	01.01.1995	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions 1999) Act 1998	35/1998	Various	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions 2000) Act 1999	19/1999	Notes	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions 2001) Act 2000	46/2000	01.01.2001	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions 2001) Regulation 2000	4/2000	01.01.2001	

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Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1980	37/1980	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1981	43/1981	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1982	36/1982	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1983	48/1983	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1984	35/1984	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1986	6/1986	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1987	48/1987	01.01.1988	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1988	21/1988	01.01.1989	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1989	26/1989	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions No 2) Act 1989	27/1989	01.01.1990	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1990	42/1990	01.01.1991	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1991	38/1991	01.01.1992	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1992	34/1992	Various	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1993	45/1993	Various	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1994	36/1994	01.01.1995	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1995	9/1995	Various	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Act 1998	11/1998	10.03.1998	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1983	23/1983	01.01.1984	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1984	23/1984	01.01.1985	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1985	13/1985	12.11.1985	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1986	4/1986	04.03.1986	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1988	9/1988	01.01.1989	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1991	9/1991	01.01.1992	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1992	24/1992	Note	
Income Tax (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1993	15/1993	01.01.1994	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax (PNG LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2008	14/2008	22.05.2008	

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Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (Papua LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2019	9/2019	27.05.2020	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2003 Budget Provisions) Act 2002	43/2002	01.01.2003	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2004 Budget Provisions Amendment) Act 2003	31/2003	01.01.2004	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2006 Budget Provisions Amendment) Act 2005	17/2005	01.01.2006	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2007 Budget Amendment) Act 2006	29/2006	Note	
Income Tax Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2008 Budget Amendment) Act 2007	31/2007	01.01.2008	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2011 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2010	19/2010	1.01.2011	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2012 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2011	13/2011	01.07.2012	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax (2013 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2012	18/2012	01.01.2013	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest			

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(Withholding) Tax Rates (2017 Budget) Amendment Act 2016	48/2016	01.01.2017	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest Withholding) Tax Rates (2019 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2018	23/2018	01.01.2019	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2023 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2022	73/2022	Table 4A for the period 1 June 2022 to 31 December 2022; and Table 5 for the period 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023; and in respect of Section 2(b) - on 1 January 2023.	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2024 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2023	24/2023	01.01.2024	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (2025 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2024	17/2024	13/12/2024	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates Act 1984	34/1984		
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 2001	17/2001	01.01.2002	
Income Tax Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (Budget Provisions 2001) Act 2000	47/2000	01.01.2001	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest			

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(Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 2017	3/2017	01.01.2017	
Income Tax, Dividend (Withholding) Tax and Interest (Withholding) Tax Rates (Amendment) Act 2022	27/2022	30.05.2022	
Income Tax (Exemption) Act 1975	32/1975	26.06.1975	
Income Tax (Exemption of Pensions) Act 1981	44/1981	04.12.1981	
Income Tax (Highlands Highway Amendment) Act 2002	16/2002	28.03.2002	
Income Tax (Industrial Incentives) Act 1984	36/1984	06.12.1984	
Income Tax (International Agreement) (2019 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2018	22/2018	01.01.2019	
Income Tax (International Agreements) Act 1987	36/1987	01.01.1988	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment) Act 1989	28/1989	01.01.1990	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment) Act 1991	39/1991	01.01.1992	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment) Act 1993	46/1993	01.01.1994	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment) Act 1994	37/1994	Various	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment) Act 1995	47/1995	30.06.1995	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment No 2) Act 1995	35/1995	30.06.1995	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment) Act 1998	12/1998	01.01.1999	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment No 2) Act 1998	47/1998	18.02.1999	
Income Tax (International Agreements) (Amendment) Act 2014	21/2014	21.01.2014	
Income Tax (Mining and Petroleum) Act 1978	56/1978	12.09.1978	
Income Tax (Mining, Petroleum and Gas Provisions 2001) Act 2000	67/2000	01.01.2001	
Income Tax (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1980	38/1980	01.12.1980	
Income Tax (Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulation 1980	28/1980	Note	
Income Tax (New Fiscal Year) Act 1977	25/1977	28.04.1977	
Income Tax (New Fiscal Year-Transitional Provision) Act 1977	20/1977	28.04.1977	110A

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Income Tax (New Porgera) (Amendment) Act 2022	28/2022	13.10.2022	G783/2022
Income Tax (P'nyang LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2022	29/2022	30.05.2022	
Income Tax (Papua LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2019	8/2019	27.05.2020	
Income Tax (Papua LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2020	23/2020	27.05.2020	
Income Tax (Papua LNG Project Production Levy) (Amendment) Act 2020	24/2020	8.2.2021	G69/2021
Income Tax (Papua LNG Project Thin Capitalisation) (Amendment) act 2020	25/2020	deemed to come into operation on 01.01.2020	
Income Tax (People's Unit Trust Amendment) Act 2002	17/2002	Note	
Income Tax (Petroleum) Act 1976	72/1976	31.12.1976	
Income Tax (PNG LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2008	9/2008	section 2 to have come into operation on 03.09.2007; and in respect of the remainder of the act to be deemed to come into operation on 22.05.2008	
Income Tax (PNG LNG Project) (Amendment) Regulation 2008	S.I. 5/2008	20.09.2008	G246/2008
Income Tax (Porgera Acquisition) Act 1995	36/1995	Note	
Income Tax (Prescribed Benefit) Regulation 1980	24/1980	Note	
Income Tax (Prescribed Public Authorities) Regulation 1980	14/1980	Note	
Income Tax (Prescribed Public Authorities) Regulation 1982	15/1982	01.07.1982	
Income Tax (Repeal and Replacement of Section 40B) Act 1976	42/1976	21.07.1976	
Income Tax (Rates) Act 1973 (Omitted)			
Income Tax (Rates) Act 1973	66/1973	01.07.1973	

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Income Tax (Rates) Act 1974 (Omitted)			
Income Tax (Rates) Act 1975			
Income Tax (Rates) Act (Consolidated) 1975			
Income Tax (Rates) Act Consolidated 1976 (Omitted)	73/1976	01.07.1976	
Income Tax (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1978	24/1978	31.03.1978	
Income Tax (Rates) (Amendment) (No 2) Act 1978	70/1978	01.01.1979	
Income Tax (Rates) Act (Consolidated) (Amendment) Act 1979	39/1979	01.01.1980	
Income Tax (Rates) Act (Consolidated) (Amendment) Act 1980	16/1980	07.08.1980	
Income Tax (Rates) Act (Consolidated) (Amendment No. 2) Act 1980	39/1980	01.01.1981	
Income Tax (Rates) Act (Consolidated) (Amendment) Act 1983	22/1983	01.01.1984	
Income Tax (Rates) Act (Consolidated) (Amendment) Act 1983	49/1983	Various	
Income Tax (Rates) Act (Consolidated) (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1980	40/1980	01.12.1980	
Income Tax Regulations 1959	20/1959	01.08.1959	
Income Tax Regulation 1959 [Amendment]	25/1959	10.09.1959	
Income Tax Regulation 1959 [Amendment]	37/1959	19.11.1959	
Income Tax Regulation 1960 [Amendment]	34/1960	01.07.1960	
Income Tax Regulation 1965 [Amendment]	20/1965	10.06.1965	
Income Tax Regulation 1965 [Amendment]	33/1965	30.09.1965	
Income Tax Regulation 1966 [Amendment]	37/1966	22.12.1966	
Income Tax Regulation 1967 [Amendment]	2/1967	26.01.1967	
Income Tax Regulation 1968 [Amendment]	46/1968	03.10.1968	
Income Tax Regulation 1969 [Amendment]	38/1969	01.07.1969	
Income Tax Regulation 1972 [Amendment]	54/1972	05.10.1972	
Income Tax Regulation 1973 [Amendment]	41/1973	11.10.1973	
Income Tax (Repeal) Regulation 1986	1/1986	12.11.1985	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates)			

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(2004 Budget Provisions Amendment) Act 2003 Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates)	19/2003	01.01.2004	
(2006 Budget Provisions Amendment) Act 2005 Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates)	16/2005	Note	
(2008 Budget Amendment) Act 2007 Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (2012 Budget)	32/2007	01.01.2008	
(Amendment) Act 2011 Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (2019 Budget)	14/2011	01.07.2012	
(Amendment) Act 2018 Income Tax (Salary and Wages Tax) (Rates) (2023 Budget)	24/2018	01.01.2019	
(Amendment) Act 2022 Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (2024 Budget)	74/2022	Deemed to come into operation on 1 January 2023	
(Amendment) Act 2023 Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) Act 1979	25/2023	01.01.2024	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1980	40/1979	01.01.1980	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1983	17/1980	07.08.1980	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1986	50/1983	01.01.1984	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1988	65/1986	01.01.1987	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1993	22/1988	01.01.1989	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1994	39/1992	01.01.1993	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment No 2)	7/1994	01.05.1994	

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Act 1994	38/1994	01.05.1994	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1996	63/1996	01.01.1995	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 2001	24/2001	01.01.2002	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates)(Amendment) Act 2022	19/2022	Deemed to have come into operation for the period of 1June to 31 December 2022	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Budget Provisions 1996) Act 1995	28/1995	01.01.1996	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (Budget Provisions 2001) Act 2000	48/2000	01.01.2001	
Income Tax (Salary or Wages Tax) (Rates) (2025 Budget) Act 2024	18/2024	13.12.2024	
Income Tax (Specific Gains Tax) (Rates) Act 1982	24/1982	09.11.1982	
Income Tax (Specific Gains Tax) (Rates) (Amendment) Act 1983	23/1983	Note	
Income Tax (Superannuation Amendment) Act 2002	1/2002	09.05.2002	
Income Tax (Supplementary Budget Provisions) Act 1994	8/1994	01.05.1994	
Income Tax (Trusts) Act 1975	19/1976	Note	
Independence Fellowship Trust Act 1978	35/1978	05.10.1978	1040
Independence of Constitutional Office-holders, the Guarantee of the Rights and (Organic Law on): <i>see Constitutional Laws and Documents</i>			
Independence, resolutions relating to: <i>see Constitutional Laws and Documents</i>			
Independent Consumer and Competition Commission Act 2002	6/2002	16.05.2002 G80/2002	
Independent Consumer and Competition Commission (Amendment) Act 2014	6/2014	17.02.2014	
Independent Consumer and Competition Commission			

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(Amendment) Act 2018	9/2018	24.11.2018 G444/2019	
Independent Consumer and Competition Commission (Fees) Regulation 2003	4/2003	16.05.2003	
Independent Consumer and Competition Commission (Oil Refining Facility State Agreement Exception) Regulation 2003	8/2003	25.09.2003	
Independent Public Business Corporation of Papua New Guinea Act 2002	18/2002	20.06.2002	
Independent Public Business Corporation of Papua New Guinea (Amendment) Act 2002	30/2002	19.09.2002	
Independent Public Business Corporation of Papua New Guinea (Amendment) Act 2007	3/2007	Various	
Independent Public Business Corporation of Papua New Guinea (Amendment) Act 2010	3/2010	03.03.2010	
Independent Public Business Corporation of Papua New Guinea (Amendment) 2012	6/2012	15.05.2012	
Independent Public Business Corporation of Papua New Guinea (Kumul Consolidated Holdings) (Amendment) Act 2015	4/2015	02.09.2015. <i>Title changed See now Kumul Consolidated Holdings Act 2002</i>	
Independent Public Business Corporation of Papua New Guinea Regulation 2002	7/2002	23.09.2002	
Indonesian Border Agreement Act 1973	3/1974	28.11.1974	85
Industry Assistant Board Act, 1985	5/1985	18. 6. 1987	
Industrial Development (Incentives to Pioneer Industries) (Repeal) Act 1998	36/1998	01.01.1999	
Industrial Development (Wage Subsidy) (2004 Budget Provisions Amendment) Act 2003	32/2003	01.01.2004	

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Industrial Development (Wage Subsidy) Act 1984	37/1984	22.03.1985	110B
Industrial Development (Wage Subsidy) Regulation 1984	28/1984	01.01.1985	110B
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Inter-Group Dispute Settlement (Special Provisions) Act 1975	18/197	09.04.1975	
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Interpretation (Amendment) Act 2015	52/2015	23.11.2016	
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Interpretation (Interim Provisions) Act 1975	91/1975	16.09.1975	2
Interpretation (Interim Provisions) (Amendment) Act 1977	39/1977	01.07.1977	2
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Investment Promotion (No 2) (Amendment) Regulation	8/1993	Note	
Investment Promotion (Amendment) Regulation 1994	10/1994	08.12.1994	
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Jiwaka Transitional Authority (Amendment) Act 2011	1/2011	awaiting gaz.	
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Kokonas Indastri Koporosen Regulation 2002	12/2002	19.12.2002	
Kokopo City Authority Act 2015	38/2015	01.01.2015	
Kokopo City Authority (Amendment) Act 2021	4/2021	NIF	
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Konebada Petroleum Park Authority Act 2008	24/2008	07.12.2011	
Konebada Petroleum Park Authority (Amendment) Act 2009	1/2009	03.06.2009	
Konebada Petroleum Park (P'nyang LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2022	31/2022	30.05.2022	
Konebada Petroleum Park Authority (Papua LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2019	11/2019	27.05.2020	
Kumul Consolidated Holdings Act 2002 <i>Public Business Corporation of PNG Act 2002</i>	18/2002	20.06.2002	<i>Formerly known as Independent</i>
Kumul Consolidated Holdings (Amendment) Act 2016	3/2016	12.8.2016	
Kumul Consolidated Holdings Authorisation (Amendment) Act 2021	12/2021	18.02.2022.	
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Kumul Petroleum Holdings Limited Authorisation Act 2015	6/2015	30.09.2015	
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Land Act 1996	45/1996	06.02.1997	
Land (Amendment) Act 2015	53/2015	23.11.2016	
Land (Amendment) Act 2016	18/2016	<i>NIF</i>	
Land (Amendment) Act 2018	10/2018	17.10.2018	
Land (Amendment) Act 2022	53/2022	27.03.2023	
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Land Registration (Amendment) Act 2022	54/2022	27.03.2023 <i>see G210/2023.</i>	
Land Registration Regulation 1999	6/1999	16.12.1999	
Land Regulation 1999	5/1999	16.12.1999	
Land (Tenure Conversion) Act 1963	15/1964	03.12.1964	
Land (Tenure Conversion) Act 1967	16/1968	08.08.1968	
Land (Tenure Conversion) (Amendment) Act 1970	33/1970		
Land (Tenure Conversion) (Amendment) Act 1987	38/1987	29.01.1988	
Land (Tenure Conversion) Regulation 1964	33/1964	03.12.1964	
Land Titles Commission Act 1962	5/1963	23.05.1963	
Land Titles Commission Act 1965	43/1965	07.10.1965	
Land Titles Commission (No 2) 1965	54/1965	18.11.1965	
Land Titles Commission Act 1966	20/1967	11.01.1968	
Land Titles Commission Act 1967	41/1967	31.08.1967	
Land Titles Commission (Amendment) Act 1969	7/1970	02.04.1970	
Land Titles Commission (Amendment) Act 1990	17/1990	10.08.1990	
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Land Titles Commission (Jurisdiction and Appeals) Act 1968	67/1968	21.11.1968	
Land Titles Commission (Land Marks) Act 1969	52/1969	31.07.1969	
Land Titles Commission Rules 1968 (Omitted)			
Land Titles Commission Rules 1968 National Gazette G41/1968		26.07.1968	
Land Titles Commission Rules 1970 [Amendment]	13/1970	12.03.1970	
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Lawyers (Amendment) Act 1987	7/1987	17.03.1987	
Lawyers (Amendment No 2) Act 1987	29/1987	25.11.1987	
Lawyers (Amendment) Act 1989	30/1989	01.03.1990	
Lawyers (Amendment) Act 1997	15/1997	29.10.1997	
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Lawyers' trust accounts-Trust Accounts (Legal Practitioners) Regulations 1969: <i>see Trust Accounts Act</i>			
Leaders (Benefits) Act 1987	8/1987	01.01.1979	
Leaders (Benefits) (Amendment) Act 1987	22/1987	02.10.1987	
Leadership Code (Alternative Penalties) Act 1976	79/1976	31.12.1976	1A
Leadership Code (Alternative Penalties) (Amendment) Act 2022	11/2022	12.04.2022	
Leadership, the Duties and Responsibilities of (Organic Law on): <i>see Constitutional Laws and Documents</i>			
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Licences (New Guinea) Act 1952	97/1952	25.06.1953	112
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Licences Regulations 1948 [Amendment]	8/1948	07.07.1948	112
Licences Regulations 1949 [Amendment]	9/1949	28.10.1949	112
Licences Regulations 1952 [Amendment]	36/1952	11.12.1952	112
Licences Regulations 1957 [Amendment]	32/1957	26.09.1957	112
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Licensing of Heavy Vehicles Regulation 1977	28/1977	10.11.1977	367
Licensing of Heavy Vehicles (Repeal) Act 2017	6/2017	13.04.2017	
Life Insurance Act 2000	62/2000	09.05.2002	
Life Insurance (Amendment) Act 2002	2/2002	09.05.2002	
Life Insurance (Amendment) Act 2004	6/2004	07.07.2004	
Life Insurance Regulation 2002	4/2002	09.05.2002	
Life Policies Protection Act 1951	49/1951	22.11.1951	257
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Liquid Tear-Gas (Control) Act 1985	15/1985	NIF	
Liquor (Licensing) Act 1963	30/1963	26.09.1963	312
Liquor (Licensing) Act 1964	38/1964	10.09.1964	312
Liquor (Licensing) Act 1966	61/1966	01.12.1966	312
Liquor (Licensing) Act (No 2) 1966	69/1966	29.06.1967	312
Liquor (Licensing) Act (No 3) 1966	3/1967	29.06.1967	312
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Roman Catholic Diocese of Bougainville Act 1974	63/1974	02.12.1974	1016
Roman Catholic Diocese of Kerema Act 1977	17/1977		1039
Roman Catholic Diocese of Kimbe Act 2014	23/2014	19.09.2014	
Roman Catholic Diocese of Lae Act 1981	9/1981	02.03.1981	1046
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Roman Catholic Missionaries of the Sacred Heart (American Province) Act 1965	52/1965	17.03.1966	1027
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Salaries and Remuneration Commission Act 1988	1/1988	01.09.1988	
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Stamp Duties (2007 Budget Amendment) Act 2006	26/2006	Various	
Stamp Duties (2008 Budget Amendment) Act 2007	34/2007	01.01.2008	
Stamp Duties (2009 Budget Amendment) Act 2008	25/2008	in respect of Sec. 3 deemed to come into operation on 01.01.2008; and the rest on 01.01.2009	
Stamp Duties (2011 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2010	20/2010	01.01.2011	
Stamp Duties (2012 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2011	16/2011	28.12.2011	
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Stamp Duties (2017 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2016	51/2016	not rec'd	
Stamp Duties (2022 Budget) (Amendment) Act 2021	34/2021	to come into operation in respect of the remainder Of the act in accordance with the commencement of Tax Administration Act 2017 by a notice in the National Gazette. G241/2021.	
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Stamp Duties (Amendment No. 3) Act 1998	46/1998	01.01.1998	
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Stamp Duties (Budget Provisions) Act 1994	43/1994	01.01.1995	
Stamp Duties (Budget Provisions) Act 1995	11/1995	01.01.1995	
Stamp Duties (Budget Provisions) Act 1997	23/1997	Various	
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Stamp Duties (Budget Provisions) Regulation 1993	16/1993	01.01.1994	
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Stamp Duties (Papua LNG Project) (Amendment) Act 2020	28/2020	27.05.2020	
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Survey (Amendment) Regulation 1994	8/1994	06.09.1994	
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