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NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT

I, THOMAS KINGSTON CRITCHLEY, High Commissioner, by virtue of the powers conferred by the undermentioned Acts and all other powers me enabling, hereby fix 6th March, 1975 as the date on which the said Acts shall come into operation:

No. 3 of 1975—*Defence Act 1974.*

No. 4 of 1975—*Defence Force Retirement Benefits Act 1974.*

Dated this fifth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

NOTICE OF THE MAKING OF REGULATIONS

THE following Regulations set out in the table below have been made under the Acts set out in the table.

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No.	Citation or Nature	Act under which made	Price
Statutory Instrument No. 5 of 1975.	Defence (Member's Defence Force History) Regulation 1975.	<i>Defence Act 1974.</i>	—
Statutory Instrument No. 6 of 1975.	Defence (Transitional) Regulation 1975.	<i>Defence Act 1974.</i>	—
Statutory Instrument No. 7 of 1975.	Defence (Prescribed Offices) Regulation 1975.	<i>Defence Act 1974.</i>	—

Dated this fifth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

NOTIFICATION OF THE MAKING OF BY-LAWS

THE following By-Laws set out in the table below have been made under the Act set out in the table.

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No.	Citation or Nature	Act under which made	Price
Statutory Instrument No. 9 of 1975.	Medical Services (Categories and Qualifications of Nurses) By-laws 1975.	<i>Medical Services Act</i> 1965, as amended to date.	—

Dated this fourth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner,

NOTICE OF THE MAKING OF REGULATION

THE following Regulation set out in the table below has been made under the Act set out in the table.

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No.	Citation or Nature	Act under which made	Price
Statutory Instrument No. 10 of 1975.	Defence Force Retirement Benefits Regulation 1975.	<i>Defence Force Retirement Benefits Act</i> 1974.	—

Dated this fifth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

Defence Force Retirement Benefits Act 1974

APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE DEFENCE FORCE RETIREMENT BENEFITS BOARD

I, THOMAS KINGSTON CRITCHLEY, High Commissioner, by virtue of the powers conferred by Sections 6(1)(a) and (b) and 7(1) of the *Defence Force Retirement Benefits Act* 1974, and all other powers me enabling and having received the advice of the Executive Council, hereby—

(a) appoint—

(i) Sydney William Caffin, an actuary; and

(ii) Kwago Guria and Francis Molean, members of the Defence Force appointed as contributors' representatives; and

(iii) Melvyn George Lavin and John Natera, to be members of the Defence Force Retirement Benefits Board; and

(b) appoint Melvyn George Lavin to be the Chairman of that Board.

Dated this fifth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

Public Service (Interim Arrangements) Act 1973, as amended to date

PROMOTION TO DEPARTMENTAL HEAD

I, THOMAS KINGSTON CRITCHLEY, High Commissioner, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 37(a) of the *Public Service (Interim Arrangements) Act* 1973, as amended to date, and all other powers me enabling, and having received the advice of the Executive Council, and on the recommendation of the Public Service Board, hereby—

(a) promote Aisea Oldim Tavai to the Director, Department of Lands, Surveys and Mines; and

(b) declare that any of the provisions of the Act that would prevent the appointment expiring at the end of three years from the date of this notice do not apply to or in relation to him while he occupies that office; and

(c) direct that the Public Service Board give directions under Section 137 of that Act that the appointment expire, unless otherwise terminated under that Act at the end of three (3) years from the date of this notice.

Dated the fourth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

ASSENT TO ACTS

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that in the absence of his Excellency the Governor-General of the Commonwealth, His Honour the Administrator-in-Council, did on the twenty-fifth day of February, 1975, in pursuance of the *Papua New Guinea Act 1949-1974*, declare his assent to the undermentioned Acts passed by the House of Assembly, presented to the High Commissioner for assent on 27th January, 1975 and reserved by the High Commissioner for the Governor-General's pleasure:—

No. 3 of 1975—*Defence Act 1974*

No. 4 of 1975—*Defence Force Retirement Benefits Act 1974*

Dated this fourth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

ASSENT TO ACTS

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor-General of the Commonwealth, acting with the advice of the Federal Council, did on the nineteenth day of February, 1975, in pursuance of the *Papua New Guinea Act 1949-1974*, declare his assent to the undermentioned Acts passed by the House of Assembly, presented to the High Commissioner for assent on 27th January, 1975 and reserved by the High Commissioner for the Governor-General's pleasure:—

No. 1 of 1975—*Districts Courts (Legal Representation) Act 1974*

No. 2 of 1975—*Local Courts (Legal Representation) Act 1974*

Dated this fourth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

*Defence Act 1974***DECLARATION OF COUNTRIES TO WHICH SECTION 30 APPLIES**

I, THOMAS KINGSTON CRITCHLEY, High Commissioner, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 30(1) of the *Defence Act 1974*, and all other powers me enabling, and having received the advice of the Executive Council, hereby declare Australia and New Zealand to be countries to which Section 30 of the Act applies.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.

*Defence Act 1974***APPOINTMENT OF COMMANDER OF THE DEFENCE FORCE**

I, THOMAS KINGSTON CRITCHLEY, High Commissioner, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 11(1) of the *Defence Act 1974*, and all other powers me enabling, and having received the advice of the Executive Council, hereby appoint James William Norrie to be the Commander of the Defence Force.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-five.

T. K. CRITCHLEY,
High Commissioner.