

THE LOCAL COURTS ACT
(Cap. 46)

CUSTOMARY LAND DISPUTE
(Unaccepted Settlement)
[Section 8D(1)]

1. Name and address of chiefs involved in the decision

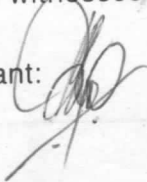
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2. Name and address of the Parties

(a) Complainant: J. TEPUKE. — Tepegima village
w/ RDL.

(b) Defendant: T. NGATONGA OR W. TAUNGAHA
— Tigoa station
w/ RDL.

3. Name and address of witnesses:

(a) For the complainant:  JAMES TEPUKE.

(b) For the Defendant:

4. Description of the land relating to the dispute:

CHUBA TO NAONE ROAD

5. Description of the nature of the dispute:

OWN AND PROPERTY

6. Summary of evidence on behalf of:

(a) Complainant: said the Land title was handed over from Tagosia to Gamutu then to him (J. Tepuke)

(b) Defendant claim the land was owned by his grandfather to the dependent for five generation over 93 years, before and all activities from the bushlands, and down to the sea coast.

7. Summary of findings/decision by the chiefs:

Chiefs finding decision that the claim of J. Tepuke is invalid, so chiefs decision is approved the land ownership of that land, is T. Ngatanga.

8. Date and place where dispute was heard:

Dated at Hatagudhis 7th day of November, 1981 1995

Certified by chiefs: Judah Teika
Silvanus Kaipua
Nathan Teikohagi
G Samela