

[Legal Notice 122]

THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1997
(No. 7 OF 1997)

THE PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLIES ELECTION REGULATIONS 1987
NOTICE TO HOLD PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS 2006

IN exercise of the powers conferred by sections 9 and 10 of the Provincial Government Act 1997 as read with Regulation 9 of the Provincial Assemblies Election Regulation 1987, I, **JAPHET WAIPORA**, Minister of Provincial Government and Rural Development hereby:-

- (i) Appoint the **18th Day of December 2006** as the date for holding of the Provincial Assembly Election in Wards 13 - 16 for **Temotu Province**;
- (ii) Appoint **Mr. Samuel Kafukese** to be the **Returning Officer** for the Temotu Provincial Assembly Election; and
- (iii) Require that nominations in respect of candidates for the Election be delivered to the Returning Officer at the **Provincial Headquarter, Lata**, not later than **4 0'clock** in the afternoon of **Tuesday the 20th Day of November, 2006**.

Dated at Honiara this thirty first Day of October 2006.

HON. JAPHET WAIPORA
MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

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TIME SCHEDULE FOR THE HOLDING OF ELECTIONS FOR

TEMOTU PROVINCE - 2006

Wards 13 - 16

MONTH	DATE	NO. OF DAYS	PUBLICATION OF MINISTER'S NOTICE	
NOVEMBER 2006	13	35	Closing date for publication of Minister's Notice. Reg. 9 (1) (a), (b) and 2 (a).	
	14	34		
	15	33		
	16	32		
		17	31	Nominations to be received not later than 4.00 p.m. Reg. 9 1(c).
		18	30	
		19	29	
		20	28	
		21	27	List of Candidates to be published not later than this date. Reg. 15.
		22	26	
		23	25	
		24	24	
		25	23	
		26	22	
	27	21		
	28	20		
	29	19		
DECEMBER 2006	30	18		
	01	17		
	02	16		
	03	15	Withdrawal of nominations by Candidates not later than 4.00 p.m. Reg. 11(4)	
04	14			

MONTH	DATE	NO. OF DAYS	PUBLICATIONS OF MINISTER'S NOTICE
	05	13	
	06	12	
	07	11	
	08	10	
	09	09	Last date for publication of final list of Candidates by Returning Officer. Reg. 18.
	10	08	
	11	07	
	12	06	Appointment of Polling Agents by Candidates. Reg. 20 (1), (2) (a) and (b) and (3) (a) and (b)..
	13	05	
	14	04	
	15	03	Appointment of Counting Agents by Candidates. Reg. 31 (1), (2) and (3).
	16	02	
	17	1	
	18 ¹	0	Election Day

¹ Wards 13 -16 had their elections as scheduled on 12th December 2002.

However, due to late approval of election funds and far away distance of Wards 13 - 16, it has been decided that elections in the 4 Wards be held on 17th December 2006 and not 12th December 2006. The 17th December 2006 falls on an "excluded day" i.e. on Sunday and as such elections will be held on Monday 18th December 2006 . Assembly dissolves on 11th December 2006.