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IN THE EFATE ISLAND COURT  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU  
(Civil Jurisdiction)

Debt Case No. 16/3097 IC/DEBT

BETWEEN: PAUL TOM HIWA  
Claimant

AND: LUI LOVE MELENARAVE  
Defendant

Coram: *Hon. Justice Francis Aru (Presiding Justice)*  
*Hon. Justice Metoloa Silu Poilapa*  
*Hon. Justice Nicholas Kaluatman*

Court Clerk: *Alida Tchivi*

Date of Hearing: *Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2016.*

Date of Judgment: *Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2016 at 10:27 am*

Court Venue: *Efaté Island Court – Court Room, Joint-Court Ontop, Port-Vila.*

Attendees: *Claimant appeared in Court while there is no appearance for the Defendant*

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## DEFAULT JUDGMENT

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An application has been filed by **Paul Tom Hiwa** who is the plaintiff before this court in pursuant to Rule 1(2) of the Island Court Procedure Rules of 2005.

This is a normal civil claim for breach contract between the Claimant and the Defendant namely **Lui Love Melenarave**.

Both parties were summoned and served directly. This matter was supported in open court. Claimant appeared in Court at the time and date of hearing when called; however Defendant was not present and that no reason was given for his non-appearance. Court has noted on the Court Deposition that Defendant has filed his Defence Statement.

**Having read, heard and considered** the application of claim made by the Claimant in this matter Paul Tom Hiwa on behalf of his unpaid sum;

**And having read and considered** the Defendant's Response statement concerning the debt Vt 16'000; The Claimant accepts the defence statement and made a verbal application before this Court to withdraw his statement of claim.



**This Court is satisfied and hereby makes the following Orders:**


1. This application of withdrawal by the Claimant has brought a complete end to this matter and there is no longer any live issue.
2. This case is now fully settled and is now closed.


Port- Vila, Monday 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 2016.

BY THE COURT



  
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Justice Metoloa Silu Poilapa

  
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Justice Francis Aru  
(Presiding Justice)

  
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Justice Nicholas Kaluatman