

**NATIONAL PARLIAMENT OF SOLOMON ISLANDS**

**NINTH PARLIAMENT – FIRST SESSION – THIRD MEETING**

**MINUTES**

**Friday 10 February 2012**

**NP/05/1/11**

The Speaker took the Chair at 9:55 am.

Prayers were said by the Clerk.

The following Members were:

**Present:** Hon. Steve W. Abana  
Hon. Peter Shanel Agovaka  
Hon. Douglas Ete  
Hon. Jackson Fiulaua  
Hon. Walter Folotalu  
Hon. John Moffat Fugui  
Hon. Moses Garu  
Hon. Alfred Ghiro  
Hon. Seth Gukuna  
Hon. Dick Ha'amori  
Hon. Rick Houenipwela  
Hon. Shemuel Sam Iduri  
Hon. Martin Kealoe  
Hon. Mark R. Kemakeza  
Hon. Christopher Laore  
Hon. Gordon Darcy Lilo  
Hon. Alex Lionai  
Hon. Manasseh Maelanga  
Hon. Martin T. Magga  
Hon. John Maneniaru  
Hon. Samuel Manetoali  
Hon. Commings Aston Mewa  
Hon. Elijah Doro Muala  
Hon. Joseph Onika  
Hon. Dickson Mua Panakitasi  
Hon. Snyder Rini  
Hon. Selwyn Riumana  
Hon. Connelly M. Sandakabatu  
Hon. Charles Sigoto  
Hon. Clay Forau Soalaoi  
Hon. Stanley Festus Sofu  
Hon. Manasseh D. Sogavare

Hon. Hypolite Taremae  
Hon. Job Dudley Tausinga  
Hon. Silas Kerry Vaqara Tausinga  
Hon. Peter Tom  
Hon. David Tome  
Hon. James Tora  
Hon. Bradley Tovosia  
Hon. Milner Tozaka  
Hon. Namson Tran  
Hon. Matthew Cooper Wale

**Absent:** Hon. Horst Heinz Bodo Dettke  
Hon. Varian Loñamei  
Hon. David Day Pacha  
Hon. Danny Philip  
Hon. Dr Derek Sikua  
Hon. Martin Sopage

**In-Attendance:** Mr. Billy Titiulu, *Attorney-General*

**STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS** for the week ending Tuesday 14 February 2012 was announced by the Prime Minister.

## **BILLS**

### **Bill – Committee Stage**

#### **‘The Immigration Bill 2012’**

Parliament moved into Committee of the Whole House to continue consideration of the ‘**Immigration Bill 2012**’.

#### Clauses 31 and 32

The Committee considered Clauses 31 and 32.

Debate ensued.

Question “*that Clauses 31 and 32 stand part of the Bill*” was put and passed.

#### Clauses 33, 34 and 35

The Committee considered Clauses 33, 34 and 35.

Debate ensued.

Question “*that Clauses 33, 34 and 35 stand part of the Bill*” was put and passed.

#### Clauses 36 and 37

The Committee considered Clauses 36 and 37.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 36 and 37 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 38 and 39

The Committee considered Clauses 38 and 39.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 38 and 39 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 40, 41 and 42

The Committee considered Clauses 40, 41 and 42.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 40, 41 and 42 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 43 and 44

The Committee considered Clauses 43 and 44.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 43 and 44 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 45, 46 and 47

The Committee considered Clauses 45, 46 and 47.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 45, 46 and 47 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 48, 49 and 50

The Committee considered Clauses 48, 49 and 50.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 48, 49 and 50 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 51 and 52

The Committee considered Clauses 51 and 52.

Question "*that Clauses 51 and 52 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 53 and 54

The Committee considered Clauses 53 and 54.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 53 and 54 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 55, 56 and 57

The Committee considered Clauses 55, 56 and 57.

Question "*that Clauses 55, 56 and 57 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 58, 59 and 60

The Committee considered Clauses 58, 59 and 60.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 58, 59 and 60 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 61, 62, 63 and 64

The Committee considered Clauses 61, 62, 63 and 64.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 61, 62, 63 and 64 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 65, 66 and 67

The Committee considered Clauses 65, 66 and 67.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 65, 66 and 67 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 68, 69 and 70

The Committee considered Clauses 68, 69 and 70.

Question "*that Clause 68, 69 and 70 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 71, 72, 73 and 74

The Committee considered Clauses 71, 72, 73 and 74.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 71, 72, 73 and 74 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79

The Committee considered Clauses 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 80, 81, 82, 83 and 84

The Committee considered Clauses 80, 81, 82, 83 and 84.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 80, 81, 82, 83 and 84 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 85, 86 and 87

The Committee considered Clauses 85, 86 and 87.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 85, 86 and 87 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 88, 89 and 90

The Committee considered Clauses 88, 89 and 90.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 88, 89 and 90 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

#### Clauses 91, 92, 93 and 94

The Committee considered Clauses 91, 92, 93 and 94.

Debate ensued.

Question "*that Clauses 91, 92, 93 and 94 stand part of the Bill*" was put and passed.

Consideration of the '**Immigration Bill 2012**' in the Committee of the Whole concluded.

*Parliament resumed.*

The Minister for Commerce, Industries, Labour and Immigration, Hon. Elijah Doro Muala reported that the '**Immigration Bill 2012**' has passed through the Committee of the Whole House without amendments.

*Parliament suspended at 12:20pm.*

*Parliament resumed at 1:08 pm.*

The Minister for Commerce, Industries, Labour and Immigration tabled a list of corrections for Parliament's records.

### **Bills – Third Reading**

#### **'The Immigration Bill 2012'**

The Minister for Commerce, Industries, Labour and Immigration moved:

***"That the 'Immigration Bill 2012' be now read a third time and do pass."***

Question put and passed.

The Clerk announced the passage of the '**Immigration Bill 2012**'.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

The Prime Minister moved:

***"That Parliament do now adjourn."***

Question put and passed.

Parliament adjourned at 1:10 pm until 9:30am on Monday 13 February 2012.

**Confirmed.**

**Sir Allan Kemakeza, KBE  
Speaker of National Parliament**

**10 February 2012**