24th December 2007

S.I. No. 66

[Legal Notice 207]

DEPORTATION ACT (Cap. 58)

DEPORTATION ORDER - STATEMENT OF FACTS

WHEREAS YOU, JULIAN RONALD MOTI, QC, are a person, whose exemption under section 7 of the Immigration Act (Cap. 60) has been cancelled, and therefore, ceased to be a holder of a valid permit issued under the said Immigration Act [Cap. 58].

AND WHEREAS your continuing presence in the country is contrary to section 11(1) of the said Immigration Act [Cap. 58] and is therefore unlawful.

AND WHEREAS YOU have been declared by the Government as an undesirable person who has conducted himself in a manner prejudicial to the peace, public order, public morality, security and good government of Solomon Islands.

AND TAKE NOTICE that the particulars of the facts against you, JULIAN RONALD MOTI, QC or upon which this ORDER is made are as follows:-

- 1. That you as a foreign national from Australia
- 2. That by virtue of your employment in the services of the Government of Solomon Islands as Attorney General, you were previously exempted under section 7(e) of the Immigration Act from holding a valid permit to reside in Solomon Islands.
- 3. That the Prime Minister, upon resolution of the Cabinet has advised the Judicial and Legal Services Commission to terminate your appointment and employment as the Attorney General of Solomon Islands.
- 4. That the legal basis upon which the Cabinet has resolved to terminate your appointment and employment was that you have conducted yourself in a manner which has demeaned the office of Attorney General and called your integrity into question,

and that, by your conduct, you have placed yourself in a manner which has or would compromise the fair exercise of your public or official duties. That such conducts, therefore, diminished respect for and confidence in the integrity of the government of Solomon Islands. And that, accordingly, you are an undesirable person for the good government of Solomon Islands.

- 5. That the factual reasons, which have become public knowledge, include but not limited to the sex charges laid against you by the authorities of Australian Government, your clandestine flight on PNG army plane into Solomon Islands, the manner your appointment and employment was carried out, the PNG Defence Force Enquiry and your active participation in the political affairs of Solomon Islands.
- 6. That the Judicial and Legal Services Commission has terminated your employment as communicated to you by the Ministry of Public Service by a letter dated 24th December 2007.
- 7. That, accordingly, your exemption under section 7 of the Immigration Act has been cancelled as shown by the Revocation Order served herewith.
- 8. That as a result of the cancellation of the said exemption you are now residing in the Solomon Islands without a valid permit and so you are now a prohibited immigrant under section 11[1] of the said Immigration Act.
- 9. That as a result of you being a prohibited immigrant under section 11 (1) of the said Immigration Act, and as a further result of your being declared or considered an "undesirable person" under the Deportation Act, you are HEREBY ISSUED with this Deportation Order under section 4 (b) and (d) of the Deportation Act (Cap. 58) as read with section 14 of the said Immigration Act.

NOW THEREFORE pursuant to section 4 of the said Deportation Act as read with section 5 (1) of the Deportation (Amendment) Act 1999 and having regard to the particulars stated above, I, Hon. Francis Billy Hilly, Minister for Commerce, Industry, Labour and Immigration Hereby Order You, the said JULIAN RONALD MOTI, QC to leave and thereafter remain out of Solomon Islands.

AND pursuant to section 7 (2) (a) and (b) of the said Deportation (Amendment) Act 1999, I hereby authorise and direct any Immigration Officer or Police Officer any time this order is served on the said **JULIAN RONALD MOTI**, **QC** to place him on board any ship or aircraft leaving Solomon Islands.

AND pursuant to section 7 (2) (a) and (b) of the said Deportation (Amendment) Act 1999, I hereby authorise and direct any Immigration Officer or Police Officer any time this order is served on the said **JULIAN RONALD MOTI, QC** to place him on board any ship or aircraft leaving Solomon Islands.

AND I further authorise and direct the officer-in-charge of the Central Prison Rove or any Police Station in Solomon Islands to detain the said **JULIAN RONALD MOTI, QC** until arrangements are completed for so placing him on board the ship or aircraft.

Dated at Honiara this twenty-fourth day of December 2007

HON. FRANCIS BILLY HILLY, MP

Minister for Commerce, Industry, Labour and Immigration

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