

**IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF
THE REPUBLIC OF VANUATU**
(Civil Appellate Jurisdiction)

Civil Appeal
Case No. 21/2519 CoA/CIVA

BETWEEN: Family Narueang Barnabas
Appellants

AND: Family Sam Iohnamu
First Respondents

AND: Family Nokamaha
Second Respondents

AND: Family Joseph Faniku
Third Respondents

AND: Family Iata Pikpik
Fourth Respondents

AND: Family Poida
Fifth Respondents

AND: Family Niplei
Sixth Respondents

**AND: Natuan Johnson, Solomon Johnson, Noel Resu,
Albert Iokai and Iata Luata Amson**
Seventh Respondents

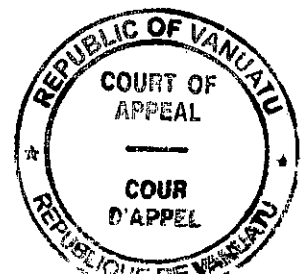
Date of Hearing: 10 November 2021

Before Hon. Justice John von Doussa
Hon. Justice Oliver Saksak
Hon. Justice Raynor Asher
Hon. Justice Dudley Aru
Hon. Justice Gus Andrée Wiltens

Counsel: Mr A. Bal for the Appellant
Mr G. Takau for the Respondents

ORDERS

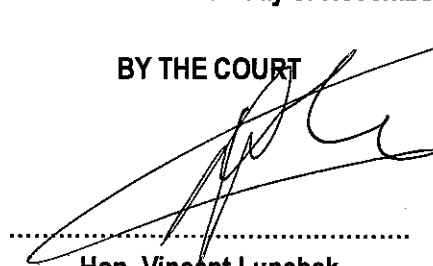
1. By consent,



- a) The Appeal is allowed.
- b) The Judgment of the Court below dated 27 July 2021 is set aside.
- c) No orders as to costs in the Court below and in respect of the appeal.

DATED at Port Vila this 19th day of November 2021

BY THE COURT



**Hon. Vincent Lunabek
Chief Justice**

