

NATIONAL PARLIAMENT OF SOLOMON ISLANDS

8TH PARLIAMENT – 1ST SESSION – 10TH MEETING

MINUTES

Friday 20 November 2009

NP/05/1/11

The Speaker took the Chair at 11:40 am.

Prayers were said by the Deputy Clerk.

The following Members were:

Present:

Hon. Steve Abana
Hon. Peter Shanel Agovaka
Hon. Rev. Leslie Boseto
Hon. Peter J. Boyers
Hon. Walter Folotalu
Hon. Bernard Ghiri
Hon. Seth Gukuna
Hon. William Nii Haomae
Hon. Francis B. Hilly
Hon. Edward Justus Huniehu
Hon. Shemuel Sam Iduri
Hon. Sir Allen Kemakeza
Hon. Mark Roboliu Kemakeza
Hon. Clement Kengava
Hon. Johnson Koli
Hon. Daniel Enele Kwanairara
Hon. Nollen Cornelius Leni
Hon. Gordon Darcy Lilo
Hon. Samuel Manetoali
Hon. Silas Milikada
Hon. Nelson Ne'e
Hon. Severino Nuaiasi
Hon. Trevor Olavae
Hon. David Day Pacha
Hon. Snyder Rini
Hon. Dr. Derek Sikua
Hon. Clay Forau Soalaoi
Hon. Stanley Festus Sofu
Hon. Augustine Taneko
Hon. Peter Tom
Hon. Isaac Inoke Tosika
Hon. Milner Tozaka
Hon. Siriako Usa

(Presiding)

Hon. Patrick Vahoe (Jnr)
Hon. Japhet Waipora
Hon. Matthew Cooper Wale
Hon. Francis John Zama

Absent: Hon. Laurie Chan
Hon. Fred I. Fono
Hon. Toswel Kaua
Hon. Varian Loñamei
Hon. Manasseh Maelanga
Hon. Martin Magga
Hon. Patteson J. Oti
Hon. Selwyn Riumana
Hon. David Wote Sitai
Hon. Manasseh Damukana Sogavare
Hon. Martin Sopage
Hon. Job Dudley Tausinga
Hon. James Tora

SPEAKER'S ANNOUNCEMENT

The Speaker announced that Presentation of Papers by the Hon. Chairman of the Constitution Review Committee will now be made on Monday 23 November 2009 instead of today.

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS AND OF REPORTS

By Hon. Dr. Derek Sikua – Prime Minister:

'Essential Services Act (Cap. 12) Essential Services Regulations 2009' ***(National Parliament Paper No. 40 of 2009).***

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS for the week ending Friday 27 November 2009 was announced by the Prime Minister.

BILLS

Bills – Second Reading

'The Constitution (Political Parties Amendment) Bill 2009'

The Hon. Dr. Derek Sikua, Prime Minister moved:

“That ‘The Constitution (Political Parties Amendment) Bill 2009’ be now read a second time.”

The Prime Minister delivered his opening speech.

The Prime Minister moved:

“That the debate on ‘The Constitution (Political Parties Amendment) Bill 2009’ Bill be adjourned to the next sitting day.”

Question put and passed.

ADJOURNMENT

The Prime Minister to move:

“That Parliament do now adjourn.”

Question put and passed.

Parliament adjourned at 12:45 pm until 9:30 am Monday 23 November 2009.

Confirmed.

**Hon. Clement Kengava MP
Deputy Speaker of National Parliament**

20 November 2009