

TUESDAY 7TH APRIL 2015

The Honourable Speaker, Mr Ajilon Nasiu took the chair at 9.54am.

Prayers.

ATTENDANCE

All were present with the exception of the Ministers for Agriculture & Livestock; Commerce, Industries, Labour & Immigration; Forestry & Research and the Members for Fataleka; Malaita Outer Islands; North Malaita; West Makira; South Choiseul; South New Georgia/Vona Vona and West Honiara.

SPEAKER'S ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr Speaker: Honourable Members, I wish to inform you that the Library and Research Services Department had prepared a research paper on mining and the environment. This paper is first of the quarterly publications. A copy of the paper has been distributed in your pigeonholes last week. Also note that other services provided by the Library and Research Services Department are as follows:

- Research for Individual Members
- Committee Research Assistance
- Compilation/Analysis of Statistics
- Advice on Issues
- Monitoring Current Issues.

BILLS

Second Reading

The 2015 Appropriation Bill 2015

Mr Speaker: Honourable Members, I wish to inform you that the Report of the Public Accounts Committee on the 2015 Appropriation Bill 2015 is not yet available. In order to give PAC members time to finalise their report and time for Members of

Parliament to look through the report, I will ask the Minister of Finance and Treasury to adjourn debate on the second reading.

Hon SNYDER RINI (*Minister for Finance & Treasury*): Mr. Speaker I move that debate on the second reading of the 2015 Appropriation Bill 2015 be adjourned to the next sitting day.

Question agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT

Hon Manasseh Sogavare: I move that Parliament do now adjourn.

Question agreed to.

The House adjourned at 9.59 am