

TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL 2009

(NAME OF BILL)

(NO. 26 OF 2009)

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TO:

Minister

x *[Signature]* 17/11/09 Date: 16 Nov. 2009

(for signing Objects & Reasons, Notice of Presentation and covering letter to Clerk)

TO:

Minister of Finance

(for signing of letter to Clerk signifying Cabinet approval under s.60 of Constitution)

TO:

Clerk to National Parliament
(for certificate by Speaker)

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TO:

Attorney General's Chambers
(for printing)

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Clerk to National Parliament
(for reference during 1st, 2nd and 3rd Readings)
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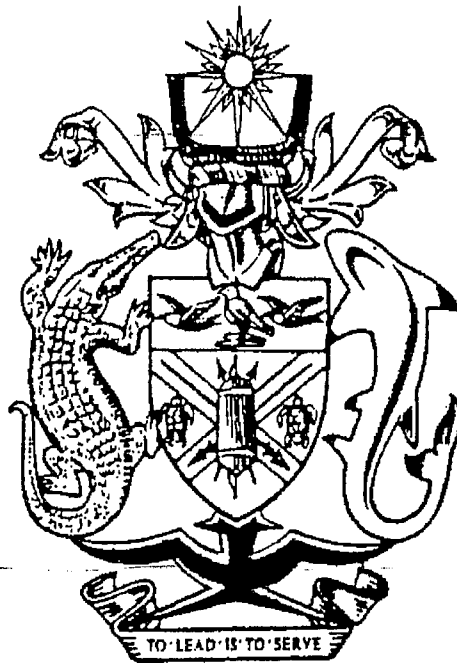
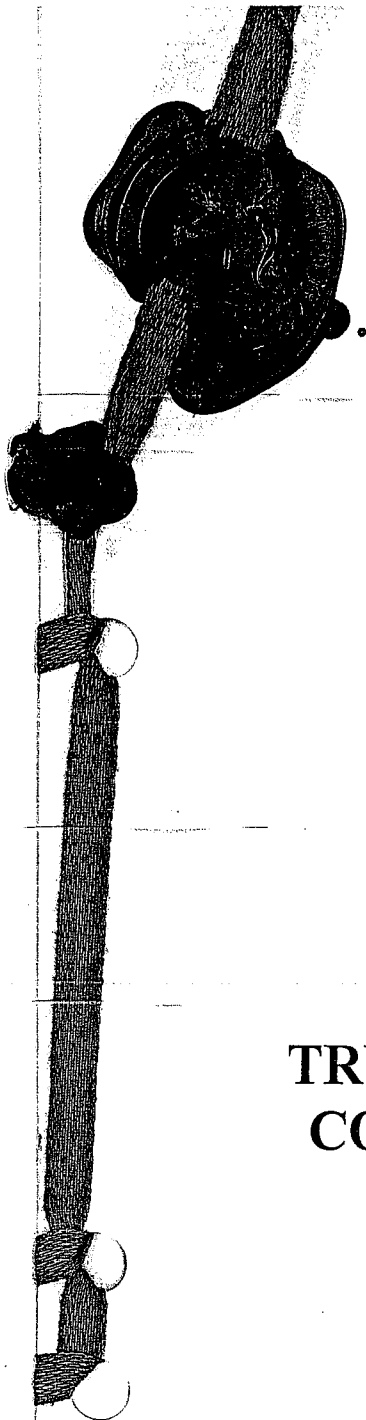
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**TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION
COMMISSION (AMENDMENT)
ACT 2009**

(NO. 24 OF 2009)



**TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION
COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) ACT 2009**

(NO. 24 OF 2009)

PASSED by the National Parliament this twenty-third day of December 2009.
(This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill passed
by Parliament and found by me to be a true copy of the Bill)

Ranga
Taeasi Sanga (Mrs)
Clerk to National Parliament

ASSENTED to in Her Majesty's name and on Her Majesty's behalf this
fifteenth day of January 2010.

F. O. Kabui
Sir Frank Utu Ofagioro Kabui
Governor-General

Date of Commencement: (See section 1)

AN ACT TO AMEND THE TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION
COMMISSION ACT 2008

ENACTED by the National Parliament of Solomon Islands.

**TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION COMMISSION
(AMENDMENT) ACT 2009**

Short title and
commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (Amendment) Act 2009, and commences on the date it is published in the *Gazette*.

Amendment to
section 4

2. Section 4 of the principal Act is amended –

- (a) in subsection (1), by deleting “within fourteen days of the appointment of its members” and substituting “on a date appointed by the Minister, by notice in *Gazette* (whether a retrospective or retroactive date)”;
- (b) in subsection (2), by deleting “three months” and substituting “up to seven months”.

Savings

3. For the avoidance of doubt, the appointment of the commencement date of the operations of the Commission or the extension of the preparatory period under this Act does not affect the validity of anything previously done by the Commission after the appointment of the commissioners or by the Commission or any person during the preparatory period extended under this Act.
