

ANNEX X

Poster on 'how to vote'

HOW TO VOTE



1 LOOK FOR CANDIDATE NAME & SYMBOL ON POSTER

2 CHECK VOTER LIST FOR YOUR NAME

3 POLLING ASSISTANT CROSSES YOUR NAME OFF THE VOTER LIST

VOTER LIST

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4 POLLING ASSISTANT PUTS INK ON YOUR FINGER

5 POLLING ASSISTANT GIVES YOU THE BALLOT PAPER

BALLOT PAPER

CANDIDATE NAME	SYMBOL	MARK

6 YOU MARK THE BALLOT PAPER IN SECRET. YOU VOTE FOR ONLY ONE CANDIDATE

BALLOT PAPER

CANDIDATE NAME	SYMBOL	MARK

7 FOLD THE BALLOT PAPER

BALLOT PAPER

8 PUT THE BALLOT PAPER IN THE BALLOT BOX

9 LEAVE THE POLLING STATION

ANNEX XI

Register of Electors

Province: **HONIARA CITY COUNCIL**
 Constituency: **CENTRAL HONIARA**
 Ward: **4 - CRUZ**
 Village: **POWER HOUSE**

Registration No.	Full Name	Address
4/6/38	▶ ◀ KAUKUI, George	Power House
4/6/39	▶ ◀ KWAONI, Sani	Power House
4/6/40	▶ ◀ KWARAFI, Patrick	Power House
4/6/41	▶ ◀ LAE, Chris	
4/6/42	▶ ◀ LAE, Modesta	
4/6/43	▶ ◀ LONGALULU, Henry	
4/6/44	▶ ◀ LUI, Frank	
4/6/45	▶ ◀ MAKABO, Meke	Power House
4/6/46	▶ ◀ MANEIHO, Nester	S.I.E.A
4/6/47	▶ ◀ MANEIHO, Paul	
4/6/48	▶ ◀ MEKE, Michael	Power House
4/6/49	▶ ◀ MOLI, Jeflyn	
4/6/50	▶ ◀ MOLI, John	S.I.E.A
4/6/51	▶ ◀ MOSTINE, John	Power House
4/6/52	▶ ◀ NARE, Peter	S.I.E.A
4/6/53	▶ ◀ NUNUFANA, Calson	
4/6/54	▶ ◀ OKA, Cambell	
4/6/55	▶ ◀ OLISI, Agnes	
4/6/56	▶ ◀ OSIFELO, Florence	
4/6/57	▶ ◀ OTO, William	
4/6/58	▶ ◀ OTTO, Joyce	Power House
4/6/59	▶ ◀ PAIKAI, Mathew	
4/6/60	▶ ◀ PITA, Goretti	
4/6/61	▶ ◀ PITAKAKA, Jimmy	P.O.Box 1339
4/6/62	▶ ◀ RAEFASI, Richard	Power House
4/6/63	▶ ◀ RAMO, Iro	
4/6/64	▶ ◀ RAROHIA, Jeremaea	
4/6/65	▶ ◀ RAUHOURA, Lina	
4/6/66	▶ ◀ RONGOA, Baddley	
4/6/67	▶ ◀ RONGOA, Rhoda	
4/6/68	▶ ◀ SCOT, Lorrence	
4/6/69	▶ ◀ SEDE, Hellen	Power House
4/6/70	▶ ◀ SOGETI, Paul	
4/6/71	▶ ◀ TERNA, Justin	

ANNEX XII

List of Election Offences and Penalties

POLLING DAY OFFENCES

The following list gives a brief description of election offences concerning activities at the polling station on election day, as found in the provisions of the National Parliament Act (Electoral Provisions) Act [Cap 87] as amended. References are to appropriate sections of the Provisions. This is not a complete list of all election offences.

1. Any corrupt or illegal practice done by the elected candidate or his agent shall render the election of such candidate invalid. [Sec. 66(1)]
2. Giving false answers to questions (as prescribed in Sec. 38(c)) put to a person applying for a ballot paper. Maximum fine \$100 or 3 months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 67]
3. Forging, counterfeiting, fraudulently defacing, or destroying a ballot paper or the official mark on it. Maximum fine \$200 or 6 months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 68(1)(b)]
4. Supplying ballot papers to any person without authority. Maximum fine \$200 or 6 months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 68(1)(c)]
5. Fraudulently taking a ballot paper out of any polling station. Maximum fine \$200 or 6 months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 68(1)(d)]
6. Destroying, taking, opening or otherwise interfering with a ballot box or a packet of ballot papers without authority. Maximum fine \$200 or 6 months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 68(1)(e)]
7. Interfering with an elector when casting his vote or obtaining information from him as to the candidate he is or has voted for or the number on his ballot paper. (Except when a blind or disabled person must tell his choice to the presiding officer, as provided by law.) Maximum fine \$100 or three months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 69(2)]
8. Failing to keep the secrecy of the vote. Maximum fine \$100 or three months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 69(1)]
9. Bribing, treating, or unduly influencing a person as to his vote. Maximum fine \$200 or six months imprisonment or vote, together with a 5-year disqualification in respect of registration as an elector, voting, and being elected or being a member of Parliament. [Sec. 70 and 76]
10. Voting more than once. Maximum fine \$100 or three months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 7(2)]
11. Voting under another person's name. Maximum fine \$100 or three months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 75]
12. Voting or causing another to vote, knowing that he or the other person is forbidden from voting. Maximum fine \$100 or three months imprisonment or both. [Sec. 77(a)]
13. No one, except a candidate, may wear or display any card, symbol, or emblem indicating support for a candidate or a political party on any public way within 50 yards of a polling station. No one can make any public address in support of any candidate or political party within 200 yards of a polling station. Maximum fine \$20. [Sec. 79]

ELECTORAL OFFENCES

Below is a simplified summary note in relation to electoral offences contained in the National Parliament (Electoral Provisions) Act. These notes should be used as a guide only. The Electoral Office should always obtain advice from the Public Prosecutor in relation to any electoral offence before responding to any alleged breach and this request for advice should be done by the Chief Electoral Officer only.

Right to vote: Section 7

- (1) It is an offence for a person to vote unless he or she is registered; or
- (2) It is an offence for a person to vote more than once at an election.

Penalty: A fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or both.

Electoral expenses: Section 45

It is an offence for a candidate to spend more than \$50,000 in an election campaign.

Penalty: A fine not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 3 months, or both.

Corrupt practice: Section 66

- (1) An election of a candidate will be invalid if that candidate or his agent commits any corrupt or illegal practice.
- (2) The election of a candidate will be voided if on an election petition it is shown that any of the following may have affected the result of the election:

- corrupt or illegal practice committed in reference to an election; or
- illegal payments, employments or hirings committed in reference to an election.

Penalty: The Candidate will be disqualified from standing as a member of the National Parliament from the date of judgement until the dissolution of the Parliament following judgement.

Penalty for false answer: Section 67

It is an offence for a person to make a false answer to the following questions if they know the answer is false or do not believe the answer to be true:

- (i) are you the person whose name is on the register of electors as follows (reading the copy of the entry in the register)?;
- (ii) have you already voted at the present election at this or any other polling station?;

Penalty: A fine not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 3 months, or both.

Offence in respect of nomination papers, etc.: Section 68

It is an offence for a person to:

- (a) forge or fraudulently deface or fraudulently destroy any nomination paper, or deliver, a nomination paper to a Returning Officer or Assistant Returning Officer knowing the paper to be forged;
- (b) forge or counterfeit or fraudulently deface or fraudulently destroy any ballot paper or the official mark on any ballot paper;
- (c) without due authority, supplies any ballot paper to any person;
- (d) fraudulently takes out of any polling station, place of voting or place of election any ballot paper, or
- (e) without due authority, destroy, take, open or otherwise interfere with any ballot box or packet of ballot papers then in use for the purposes of an election.

Penalty: A fine not exceeding two hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or both.

Infringement of secrecy: Section 69

(1) Except as provided by law, the following persons must maintain and aid in maintaining the secrecy of the voting in an election:

- Returning Officers;
- Assistant Returning Officers;
- Supervising Officers;
- Polling Assistants; and
- Polling Agents.

These officers must not disclose information relating to:

- the name or number on a register of electors;
- any elector who has not applied for a ballot paper or voted; or
- the official mark before the election is closed.

Penalty: A fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months or both.

(2) Except as provided by law, it is an offence for any person to:

- interfere with or attempts to interfere with an elector when casting his or her vote;
- attempt to obtain information as to the candidate for whom any elector is about to vote or has voted;
- communicate at any time to any person information obtained during any election as to the candidate for whom any elector is about to vote or has voted;
- communicate at any time to any person information as to the number on the ballot paper given to any voter.

Penalty: A fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months or both.