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[Legal Notice No. 73]

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1981

[No. 7 of 1981]

**THE CENTRAL PROVINCE ELECTORAL ARRANGEMENTS  
ORDER 1996**

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Provincial Government Act 1981 and on the basis of proposals submitted by the Boundaries Commission, I, ALLAN QURUSU, Minister of Provincial Government hereby make the following order:-

1. This order may be cited as the Central Province Electoral Arrangements Order 1996.
2. The schedule to this order shall be deemed to have come into force on 28th September 1996.
3. The Central Province Electoral Arrangements Order [LN 77/84] shall be repealed on the dissolution of the present provincial Assembly.
4. The Electoral Arrangements for Central Provincial Assembly upon the dissolution of the present Provincial Assembly shall be as contained in the Schedule. One member shall be returned for each electoral ward named in the schedule.

**SCHEDULE**

**Number of Ward****Name of Ward**

1

Sandfly/Buonavista

2	West Gela
3	East Gela
4	Tulagi
5	South West Gela
6	South East Gela
7	North East Gela
8	North West Gela
9	Banika
10	Pavuvu
11	Lavukal
12	North Savo
13	South Savo

Made this sixth day of May, 1996.

ALLAN QURUSU  
Minister  
Ministry of Provincial Government

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[Legal Notice No. 74]

THE BEE INDUSTRY ACT 1994  
(No. 2 of 1994)

THE BEE INDUSTRY (PROHIBITION ON IMPORTATION OF  
BEE, BEE PRODUCTS AND USED APPLIANCES)  
REGULATIONS 1996

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 3(2) (a) of the Bee Industry Act, 1994, I EDMUND ANDRESEN, Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, do hereby make the following Regulations -

1. These regulations may be cited as the Bee Industry (Prohibition on Importation of Bee, Bee Products and Used Appliances) Regulations 1996.

2. In this regulation the terms -

“bee product” means any honey, honey-dew, pollen, beeswax, venom, propolis, royal jelly and includes any other product in its natural state collected from bees or derived from bees;

“bee” means any living stages of the honey-bee, *Apis mellifera*,

including semen and include every other species of bee, including its eggs, larva, pupae and semen; and  
“Appliance” means any hive, bee-comb, extractor, bee-house or other apparatus being used or intended to be used in connection with bee keeping.

3. (1) Except with a valid import permit the importation, landing or introduction into Solomon Islands or any part thereof of bee, bee products and used appliance is prohibited.

(2) Notwithstanding the provision of subregulation (1), the Minister may in special circumstances grant a special permit for the importation, landing or introduction into Solomon Islands of any bee, bee products and used appliance is prohibited.

(3) The Minister when issuing such special permit impose any condition as he sees fit.

4. Any bee, bee product and used appliance imported, landed or introduced contrary to these regulations without a valid permit accompanied with health certificates may be seized and destroyed by an inspector.

Dated at Honiara this twenty-first day of May 1996.

EDMUND ANDRESEN  
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries

