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REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE'S ACT
[CAP 146]

- DECLARATION BY THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF CANDIDATE ELECTED FOLLOWING THE EPI BY-ELECTION TO PARLIAMENT HELD ON THURSDAY 5TH FEBRUARY, 2009.



REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

DECLARATION BY THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION OF CANDIDATE ELECTED

IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in Rules 21 (1) of Schedule 5 of the Representation of the People's Act - [CAP. 146], and following the Epi By-Election to Parliament of the Republic of Vanuatu held on Thursday the 5th of February 2009, THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION HEREBY ANNOUNCES the number of votes cast for each candidate as follows:

CONSTITUENCY OF EPI I SEAT: (6 CANDIDATES)

TOTAL REGISTERED VOTERS:	3,437
TOTAL VOTES CAST:	2,566
TURN OUT:	74.66%
TOTAL VOID VOTES:	41
TOTAL VALID VOTES:	2,525

CANDIDATE	AFFILIATION	VOTES
1. LEINAVAO TASSO	VANUAAKU PARTY	638
2. JOE JIMMY	SHEPHERDS ALIANCE	98
3. SIMEON SEQULE	VANUATU NATIONAL PARTY	220
4. ISABELLE DONALD	INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE	301
5. JOHN ROY NIL	INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE	617
6. IDANE SIMON OMAWA	INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE	651

DECLARATION OF ELECTED MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT

THEREFORE IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in Rule 21 (2) of Schedule 5 of the Representation of the People's Act - [CAP. 146], THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION HEREBY DECLARES the candidate duly elected as a representative for Epi Constituency to the National Parliament of the Republic of Vanuatu.

CONSTITUENCY	ELECTED CANDIDATE	AFFILIATION
EPI	IDANE SIMON OMAWA	INDEPENDENT

MADE AT PORT VILA THIS SATURDAY THE 7TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2009.


ETIENNE KOMBE
CHAIRMAN


STEPHEN JOEL TARI
COMMISSIONER


LEIMELU ISHMAEL
COMMISSIONER

