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  - (d) to established the National Petroleum Authority to hold the State's ownership of, and interests in petroleum under Section 212B of the *Constitution* and to transfer and assign such ownership and interests to wholly-owned subsidiaries of Kumul Petroleum Holdings Limited; and
  - (e) to authorise those wholly-owned subsidiaries of Kumul Petroleum Holdings Limited as owners to enter into Petroleum Production Sharing Arrangements with third parties in respect of those interest; and
  - (f) to authorise the Mineral Resource Authority to hold the State's ownership of and interests in minerals under Section 212B of the *Constitution* and to transfer and assign such ownership and interests to wholly-owned subsidiaries of Kumul Minerals Holdings Limited; and

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  - (b) promote the active participation of citizens in the political process through strong and effective political parties; and
  - (c) improve greater transparency and accountability of political leaders and their political parties; and
  - (d) better protect political parties and candidates to enable them to effectively play a greater role in the development of the country,

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- 240 PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER FOR BOUGAINVILLE AFFAIRS: To present a proposed Law to
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- 214 AUDITOR-GENERAL OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA AUDIT REPORT ON THE ACCOUNTS OF MILNE BAY PROVINCIAL HEALTH AUTHORITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016 – PAPER – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 27 August 2020 – Chairman – Public Accounts Committee, in continuation) on the motion of Sir John Pundari – That the Parliament take note of the paper.

- 219 AUDITOR-GENERAL OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF THE TRANSACTION OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNT OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA - PART 1 FOR THE YEAR ENDED 2015 – PAPER – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 1 September 2020 – Deputy Chairman – Public Accounts Committee, in continuation) on the motion of Mr Garry Juffa – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 233 AUDITOR-GENERAL OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL – PART IV, 2019 – PAPER – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 11 November 2020 – Deputy Chairman – Public Accounts Committee, in continuation) on the motion of Mr Garry Juffa – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 248 AUDITOR-GENERAL OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA REPORT ON THE ACCOUNTS OF ENGA PROVINCIAL HEALTH AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING 2015 AND 2016 – PAPER – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 12 August – Chairman – Public Accounts Committee, in continuation) on the motion of Mr Aiye Tambua – That the Parliament take note of the paper.

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#### **PRIVATE BUSINESS**

### **BUSINESS OF THE DAY**

- 33 SITUATION REPORT ON THE HIGHLANDS EARTHQUAKE EMERGENCY RESPONSE – MINISTERIAL STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 27 March 2018 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Jeffrey Komal – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 58 CIVIL AVIATION SAFETY AUTHORITY ANNUAL REPORT, 2016 PAPER AND STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 1 June 2018 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Lekwa Gure – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 63 STRATEGY FOR SMART AND BALANCED DECENTRALISATION, 2018-2022 – MINISTERIAL STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 18 July 2018 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Nakikus Konga – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND ATTORNEY-GENERAL JUVENILE JUSTICE NATIONAL PLAN, 2018-2022 – PAPER AND STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 19 July 2018 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Kerenga Kua – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 73 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STATUS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STANDARD BASED CURRICULUM – MINISTERIAL STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 5 September 2018 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Thomas Pelika – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 84 DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE GROWING PAPUA NEW GUINEA'S CONNECTIONS IN A GLOBALIZING WORLD – MINISTERIAL STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 11 September 2018 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Powes Parkop – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 184 PERMANENT PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY REPORT ON THE CORONAVIRUS (COVID – 19) PANDEMIC – STATE OF EMERGENCY – PAPER AND STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 2 June 2020 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Allan Bird – That the Parliament take note of the paper.

- 185 MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND HIV/AIDS COVID-19 HEALTH RESPONSE AND TRANSITION TO THE NEW NORMAL – MINISTERIAL STATEMENT – MOTION TO TAKE NOTE OF PAPER: Resumption of debate (from 2 June 2020 – Leader of Government Business) on the motion of Mr Allan Bird – That the Parliament take note of the paper.
- 247 MR NICK KUMAN: To present a proposed Law to amend the *Organic Law* on *National and Local-level Government Elections. (Notice given 12 August)*

KALA AUFA Clerk of the National Parliament

Notice to which an asterisk (\*) is prefixed appear for the first time.

## SPEAKER

## Mr Job Pomat

## **DEPUTY SPEAKER**

## AND

#### **CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES**

Mr Koni Iguan

#### ASSISTANT SPEAKERS

Mr James Donald Mr William Nakin Mr Ross Seymour *(one vacancy)* 

## **COMMITTEES**

#### **PERMANENT**

- **APPOINTMENTS:** Mr Philip Undialu (*Chairman*), Mr William Powi (*Deputy Chairman*), Mr Garry Juffa, Mr Peter Yama, Mr Robert Naguri and Dr William Tongamp. (*one vacancy*)
- **BROADCASTING OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS:** Mr Speaker (*Chairman*) ex-officio Member, Mr Nakikus Konga (*Deputy Chairman*), Mr Francis Maneke and Mr Michael Dua.
- **CITIZENSHIP MATTERS:** Mr Taboi Yoto (*Chairman*), Mr Ginson Saonu and Mr Robert Agarobe. (*four vacancies Deputy Chairman and members*)
- **CONSTITUTIONAL LAWS AND ACTS AND SUBORDINATE LEGISLATIONS:** Sir Peter Ipatas (*Chairman*), Mr Ginson Saonu, Mr Philip Undialu and Mr William Powi. (*three vacancies – Deputy Chairman and members*)
- **CULTURE AND TOURISM:** Mr Kennedy Wenge (*Chairman*), Mr Allan Bird, Mr Charlie Benjamin, Mr Peter Numu and Mr Robert Agarobe. (six vacancies Deputy Chairman and members)

- **ECONOMIC AFFAIRS:** Mr Robert Agarobe (Chairman), Dr Allan Marat, Mr Ginson Saonu and Mr James Donald. (three vacancies Deputy Chairman and members)
- **EMERGENCY:** Mr Robert Naguri *(Chairman)*, Mr William Powi *(Deputy Chairman)*, Mr Charlie Benjamin, Mr Garry Juffa, Mr Nakikus Konga and Mr William Nakin. *(one vacancy)*
- FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND DEFENCE: Dr William Tongamp (Chairman), Mr Fabian Pok (Deputy Chairman), Mr Garry Juffa, Sir Peter Ipatas and Mr Tony Wouwou. (two vacancies)
- LAW AND ORDER: Mr Tony Wouwou (Deputy Chairman), Dr Allan Marat, Mr Belden Namah and Mr Moriape Kavori. (three vacancies Chairman and members)
- **LEGISLATION:** Mr Speaker (Chairman) ex-officio Member, Mr William Powi (Deputy Chairman), Dr Allan Marat, Mr Chris Haiveta, Mr Peter Numu, Mr Peter Yama and Mr Taboi Yoto.
- NATIONAL PARLIAMENT: Mr Speaker (Chairman) ex-officio Member, Mr Chris Haiveta, Mr Powes Parkop and Mr Tony Wouwou. (one vacancy)
- **PENSIONS AND RETIREMENT BENEFITS:** Mr Chris Haiveta (Chairman), Mr James Donald, Mr Nakikus Konga, Sir Peter Ipatas and Mr Powes Parkop. (one vacancy – Deputy Chairman)
- **PLANS AND ESTIMATES:** Mr Allan Bird (*Chairman*), Mr Ginson Saonu (*Deputy Chairman*), Mr Charlie Benjamin, Mr James Donald, Sir Peter Ipatas and Mr Ross Seymour. (*one vacancy*)
- **PRIVATE BUSINESS:** Mr Speaker (*Chairman*), Mr Deputy Speaker (*Deputy Chairman*) ex-officio Members, Mr Charlie Benjamin, Mr Philip Undialu, Mr Robert Agarobe, Mr Taboi Yoto and Mr William Powi.
- **PRIVILEGES:** Mr Charlie Benjamin (*Chairman*), Mr Benjamin Philip (*Deputy Chairman*), Mr Powes Parkop, Mr William Powi and Dr William Tongamp.
- **PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:** Mr Aiye Tambua (Chairman), Mr Garry Juffa (Deputy Chairman), Mr Benjamin Philip, Mr Charlie Benjamin, Mr James Donald, Mr Kennedy Wenge, Mr Koi Trape, Mr Moriape Kavori, Mr Peter Numu, Mr Robert Naguri, Mr Taboi Yoto, Mr William Powi and Dr William Tongamp. (one vacancy)
- **PUBLIC WORKS:** Mr Douglas Tomuriesa (Deputy Chairman), Mr Francis Maneke, Mr Ginson Saonu, Mr James Donald, Mr Michael Dua, Mr Moriape Kavori, Mr Peter Numu, Mr Robert Atiyafa, Mr Taboi Yoto and Mr William Nakin. (four vacancies – Chairman and members)

**STANDING ORDERS:** Mr Speaker (Chairman), Mr Deputy Speaker (Deputy Chairman) ex-officio Members, Dr Allan Marat, Mr Chris Haiveta, Mr Ginson Saonu, Mr Peter Yama and Mr Powes Parkop. (two vacancies)

## **BI-PARTISAN COMMITTEE**

**BOUGAINVILLE MATTER:** Mr William Nakin (Deputy Chairman) and Dr Allan Marat. (three vacancies – Chairman and members)

### SPECIAL COMMITTEE

- **GENDER BASED VIOLENCE:** Mr Charles Abel *(Chairman)*, Mr Allan Bird *(Deputy Chairman)*, Mr Aiye Tambua, Dr Allan Marat, Mr Ginson Saonu, Mr Michael Dua and Mr Powes Parkop.
- **PUBLIC SECTOR REFORM AND SERVICE DELIVERY:** Mr Garry Juffa (*Chairman*), Mr William Nakin (*Deputy Chairman*), Mr Allan Bird, Mr Elias Kapavore, Sir Peter Ipatas, Mr Peter Numu, Mr Philip Undialu, Mr Robert Agarobe and Mr William Powi.