

[Legal Notice No. 93]

**HONIARA CITY ACT  
(NO.2 of 1999)**

**HONIARA CITY (ELECTION OF MAYOR)  
(NO.1) ORDER 2012**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me under section 72 of the Act, I make the following Order-

1. This Order may be cited as the Honiara City (Election of Mayor) (No.1) Order 2012 and shall come into force upon publication in the *Gazette*.

2. Whereas the Honiara City (Election of Mayor) Order 2012\* provides for the election of the Mayor of the Honiara City Council, the following rules shall apply for the purpose of the election of the Mayor -

- (a) all members of the Honiara City Council as specified in section 5 (1)(a), (b), (c) and (d) of the Act, "Membership of the Council" shall be eligible to vote;
- (b) the Mayor shall be elected from amongst the elected members in accordance with section 7(1);
- (c) in the event of the vote for the election of the Mayor's position being a tie then there shall be a one hour recess;
- (d) after the recess the Council shall resume for the purpose of casting their votes for the position of the Mayor for a second time;

- (e) in the event that the vote is still a tie, then the election shall be countermanded and there shall be a call for fresh nominations for the vacant position of the Mayor by the City Clerk;
- (f) such a new election shall take place within seven(7) days from the 14th day of September 2012.

MADE AT HONIARA this thirteenth day of September, 2012.

HON. MANASSEH MAELANGA  
Minister for Home Affairs

\*G/N. No .....of 2012