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**CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES (TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE)
ACT
(Cap. 84)**

**CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES (TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE)
(SPEAKER) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2024**

I, Hon. Manasseh Damukana Sogavare, Prime Minister, under section 3 of the *Constitutional Offices (Terms and Conditions of Service) Act* (Cap. 84), make the following Regulations:

1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Constitutional Offices (Terms and Conditions of Service) (Speaker) (Amendment) Regulations 2024*.

2 Commencement

These Regulations commence on the date of publication in the Gazette.

3 Amendment of Constitutional Offices (Terms and Conditions of Service) (Speaker) Regulations

These Regulations amend the Constitutional Officers (Terms and Conditions of Service) (Speaker) Regulations (Legal Notice No. 144 of 1990) (“*Principal Regulations*”).

4 Regulation 17 repealed and substituted

The Principal Regulations is amended by repealing regulation 17 and substituting:

“Medical treatment

17. (1) The Speaker is entitled to payment of the cost of medical services from:

- (a) a medical facility in the Solomon Islands; or
 - (b) a medical facility overseas where a medical specialist certifies that:
 - (i) the medical service overseas is necessary; and
 - (ii) the medical service is not available in Solomon Islands.
- (2) Where a certification is made under subregulation (1)(b), the Speaker is entitled to the payment of:
- (a) the cost of travel for receiving the medical services; and
 - (b) the cost of the medical services; and
 - (c) accommodation while receiving medical services.
- (3) The Speaker's spouse and any child of the Speaker's aged 18 years or less is entitled to receive medical service overseas where a medical specialist certifies that:
- (a) the medical service overseas is necessary; and
 - (b) the medical service is not available in Solomon Islands.
- (4) Where a certification is made under subregulation (3), the Speaker's spouse and any child of the Speaker's aged 18 years or less receiving medical services overseas is entitled each day he or she receives medical services, to the payment of:
- (a) the accommodation; and
 - (b) accommodation for a carer accompanying the spouse or child; and
 - (c) a daily allowance that is equal to 50% of the travelling allowance payable to the Speaker under regulation 12 (1).

Made this nineteenth-day of February 2024.

HON. MANASSEH DAMUKANA SOGAVARE
PRIME MINISTER
