



ODPP MEDIA UPDATE

Date: 13 May 2016

Name of Matter: State-v-Ratu Inoke Tasere & Ors

Names of Accused Persons:

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| 1. Ratu Inoke Tasere | 9. Ratu Tevita Khaikhainabokolawale Makutu |
| 2. Jimi Koroibete | 10. Mosese Navaci |
| 3. Seru Kunalagi | 11. Eroni Rikoriko |
| 4. Adi Cuvu Gavidi Atama | 12. Alifereti Nakuinivou |
| 5. Ulaiasi Rabua Tuivono | 13. Alifereti Gonewai |
| 6. Peniasi Naqau | 14. Raicula Rokovou |
| 7. Semi Tanikili | 15. Adi Vasemaca Veikunekibulu Gonewai |
| 8. Ratu Osea Bolawaqatabu | 16. Jorama Ratulevu |

Charges: One count, each, of sedition under section 67 (1) (a) and one count, each, of inciting communal antagonism under 65(2) (a) of the Crimes Decree 2009.

Update:

This matter was called today (13.05.16) at the Lautoka High Court before Justice Thushara Rajasinghe.

All accused persons were present in court.

A trial date has been fixed from 1 May to 31 May 2017.

The matter has been adjourned to 30 August 2016 for a Pre Trial Conference.

Bail has been extended to all accused persons.

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