



ODPP MEDIA UPDATE

Date: 28 July 2016

Name of Matter: State-v- Eddie Murphy

Name of Accused: Eddie Murphy

Charge: Rape

Update:

This matter was called today (28.07.16) at the Suva High Court before Justice Wengapulli.

Eddie Murphy is charged with one count of Rape of an overseas volunteer.

He is alleged to have committed the offence in May 2016 during a group project in Namosi of which both the accused and the victim were volunteers.

The State filed and served the Information and Disclosures today.

The accused pleaded not guilty to the offence.

The Court has set a trial date from 2 October 2017 to 13 October 2017.

The matter has been adjourned to 30 January 2017 for mention.

The accused's bail has been extended.

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