



ODPP MEDIA UPDATE

ODPP launches Basic Prosecution Course 2017

The Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions (ODPP) launched the 2017 Basic Prosecution Course this morning at the Fiji Police Training Academy, Nasova, Suva, as part of its continuing education outreach for police and statutory prosecutors across Fiji.

The Basic Prosecution Course is a mixture of theory and practical exercises designed to equip prosecutors with basic trial preparation and advocacy at the bar table.

The Director of Public Prosecutions, Mr Christopher Pryde, officially opened the ODPP Basic Prosecution Course this morning (6.02.17).

There are 23 officers from the Fiji Police Force Summary Prosecutions Division and 20 officers from the Ministry of Forests and Fisheries, the Water Authority of Fiji, the Fiji National Provident Fund, the Commerce Commission, the Fiji Revenue and Customs Authority, the FICAC, the Lami, Nausori and Labasa Town Councils, the Ministry of Labour and Ministry of Health.

The Basic Prosecution Course is facilitated by the ODPP Principal Legal Officer Mr Yogesh Prasad and assisted by Senior Legal Officer Mr Meli Vosawale and Legal Officer Mr Taitusi Tuenuku.

An advanced prosecution course for police and statutory prosecutors will be conducted by the ODPP later this year.

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NB: Group photo attached



Police and statutory prosecutors with the Director of Public Prosecutions, Mr Christopher Pryde, (7th from left) at the opening of the ODPP Basic Prosecution Course 2017 at the Fiji Police Training Academy, Nasova, Suva.
