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ODPP opens a new office in Nasinu

The Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions (ODPP) is pleased to announce the opening of its 10th office, located at the top floor of Savila House, in Nasinu.

The Acting DPP, Ms Nancy Tikoisuva expressed her satisfaction with the opening of this new office.

Ms Tikoisuva said, “The decision to open the new office comes as part of the ODPP’s ongoing effort to improve access to justice and ensuring more streamlined process for the people in the community. With the increasing criminal cases arising from the Nasinu jurisdiction and the presence of a court house in the area, the new office will significantly improve the delivery of justice for local resident and reduce logistical issues.”

The new office aims to enhance the efficiency of the legal proceedings in the area, as previously prosecutors had to travel from Suva and Nausori to attend court cases in Nasinu. This office is staffed with two prosecutors, one administrative clerk and a driver, ensuring a more efficient and effective response to the growing number of cases in the Nasinu jurisdiction.

“The opening of the new Nasinu office is part of the ODPP’s continued efforts to improve the accessibility and efficiency of prosecution services across the country,” said Ms Tikoisuva.

There are now offices in Nasinu, Nausori, Rakiraki, Ba, Lautoka, Nadi, Sigatoka, Labasa, Savusavu and the ODPP headquarters in Suva.

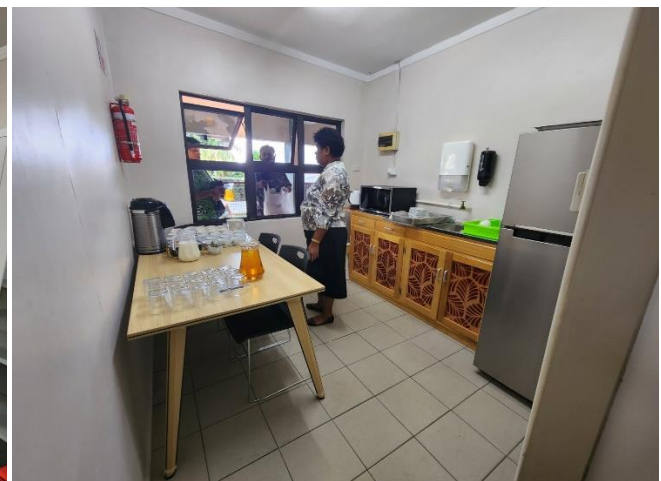
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NB: *Picture attached below.*



The Acting DPP, Ms Nancy Tikoisua officially opened the doors of the new ODPP Nasinu office this month.



The new office has a reception area, two work stations, a kitchenette and a common washroom facility and is equipped with the necessary technological services for staff to carry out their work.



(L-R) ODPP Legal Officer, Mr John Vaurasi, Ms Administrative Clerk, Lice Likutabua, Nasinu Divisional Police Prosecutors, Acting DPP, Ms Nancy Tikoisuva and Legal Officer, Ms Asenaca Sovalevu.

The Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions is an independent office established under section 117 of the 2013 Fijian Constitution. The Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions is motivated by the principle that it is in the interests of justice that the guilty be brought to justice and the innocent are not wrongly convicted.