



ODPP MEDIA UPDATE

Date: 13 August 2015

Name of Matter: State-v-Timoci Nagata, Pita Camaimoala Vakatawa and Saimoni Nacolawa

Names of Accused Persons: Timoci Nagata, Pita Camaimoala Vakatawa and Saimoni Nacolawa

Charges: Sedition contrary to section 67 (1) (b) and inciting communal antagonism, contrary to section 65 (1) (b) of the Crimes Decree 2009.

Update:

The Lautoka High Court has today (13.8.15) revoked bail for three men charged with sedition and inciting communal antagonism.

The State had asked for all three to be remanded in custody due to the seriousness of the charges and the ongoing police investigations. They were, however, granted bail when they first appeared at the Lautoka Magistrates' Court on Monday (10.8.15).

The State then filed an application to the High Court for a review of the Magistrates' Court's decision to grant bail.

The High Court has today (13.8.15) revoked the three men's bail and they have been remanded in custody.

Matter will be called on 17 August 2015 for mention at the Lautoka Magistrates' Court.

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