



Tuvalu

ASSIGNMENT OF MINISTERIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

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MADE UNDER SECTION 77 OF THE CONSTITUTION¹

The Governor-General, in the exercise of the powers conferred by section 77(1)(a) of the Constitution of Tuvalu, and acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister has assigned responsibility for the conduct of the following business of the Government to Ministers as follows —

OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER

Administration

Audit

Cabinet

Civil Service Management (Including Manpower Planning and Localisation)

Commonwealth Secretariat

Coordination of Government Business

Development Coordination Committee

Housing Allocation

In-Service Training

International Whaling Commission (IWC)

Land and Survey

National Elections

Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat

Parliament

Public Holidays

Public Sector Reform

Public Service Commission

Registration of Charities
Religious Affairs
Resettlement
Seabed Mining
Secretariat of the South Pacific Commission (SPC)
Tuvalu Coat of Arms
United Nations

MINISTRY OF FISHERIES AND TRADE

Aquaculture
Conservation
Exclusive Economic Zone
Fisheries
Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA)
Marketing
National Fishing Corporation of Tuvalu (NaFICOT)
Parties to the Nauru Agreement
Trade
Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission (WCPFC)
Wreck and Salvage

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, COMMUNICATIONS AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Arms and Ammunition
Attorney General's Office
Bilateral and Multilateral Organisation
Birth, Death and Marriage Registration
Censorship
Citizenship
Constitutional and Political Affairs
Defence and Security
Foreign Affairs
Immigration

Information and Communication Technology
International Telecommunication Union (ITU)
Judiciary
Legal Affairs
Liquor Licensing
Media
Ombudsman's Office
Overseas Representatives
People's Lawyer's Office
Police, Prison and Fire Service
Registration of Patents and Trade Marks
Tuvalu Telecommunications (TTC)
Tuvalu Top Level Domain (dot tv)

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, YOUTH AND SPORTS

Education
Language Board
Library and Archives
Museums
Pre-Service Training
School Broadcasting
Sports and Recreational Activities
Tuvalu Maritime Training Institute (TMTI)
United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO)
University of the South Pacific
Youth Affairs
Students Education Loan Fund (SELF)

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL WELFARE

Dental Services
Environmental Health
Family Planning

Health Education
HIV/AIDS
Laboratory Services
Maternal Child Health
Medical Curative
Tuvalu Medical Treatment Scheme
Pharmacy
Population
Public Health
Radiology Services
Red Cross
Reproductive Health Services
Sanitation
Tuvalu Family Health Association (TuFHA)
United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF)
World Health Organisation (WHO)
Social Welfare
Gender

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

Asset Management
Budget Management
Census statistics
Coinage
Customs Administration
Climate Change
Economic Planning
Exchange Control
Financial Planning and Management
Government Finance and Monetary Policy
Gaming and Lotteries
Monitoring and Evaluation Unit

Investment

National Bank of Tuvalu

National Provident Fund

Philatelic Bureau

Postal Services

Private Sector (TNPSO, Chamber of Commerce)

Commercial and Industrial Development

Cooperative

Registration of Companies and Small Business

Special Development Expenditure

Taxation

Treasury

Tuvalu Development Bank

Tuvalu Trust Fund

Pricing Policy and Control (Price Control Board)

Asian Development Bank

International Monetary Fund

World Bank

Economic Social Commission for Asia Pacific (ESCAP)

MINISTRY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND AGRICULTURE

Agriculture and Livestock Development

Culture

Falekaupule Trust Fund

Local Government

Food and Agricultural Organisation (FAO)

Forestry

Non-Government Organization

Rural and Urban Development

Town and Urban Planning

Waste Management

Copra

MINISTRY OF, TRANSPORT, ENERGY AND TOURISM

Airfield

Civil Aviation

International Maritime Organisation (IMO)

Marine Services

Ports and Harbours

Reef Passage

Ship Registration

Ship Registry (National and Off-Shore)

Central Pacific Shipping Commission (CPSC)

Shipping

Tourism

Travel Agency

Rural Electrification

Energy

Tuvalu Electricity Corporation

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS, INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENVIRONMENT

Building Construction and Maintenance

Disaster and Preparedness

Environment

House Maintenance

Public Works

Physical Infrastructure

Road Works

Water Supply and Sewage

Meteorological Services

Environment

Disaster Preparedness

South Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)

Tuvalu Atoll Science Technology Institute (TASTI)
Labour and Industrial Relations

ENDNOTES

¹ GN 40/2019, commencement 23 September 2019

Originally made under the repealed 1986 Constitution, and continued in force under Schedule 5 clause 2 of the 2023 Constitution