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The Hon. Minister Mr. Justin Thatenkco.
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My Dear Hon. Minister Justin Thatenkco,

SUBJECT: FINDINGS OF SABL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO PORTION 2465C AND PORTION 2466C – PAPA VILLAGE, CENTRAL PROVINCE.

As per the above-mentioned, we hereby make reference to the Commission of Inquiry into the Special Agriculture Business Leases Final Report compiled by the Chief Commissioner John Numapo dated 24th June, 2013.

We would particularly like to draw your attention to the findings and recommendations contained within the report for the Special Agriculture Business Leases particularly known as Portion 2465C Volume 37 Folio 105 Granville, Milinch of Port Moresby and Portion 2466C Volume 37 Folio 106 Granville, Milinch of Port Moresby.

The findings contained within the report itself already warrants the Department of Lands to automatically cancel both SABL on Portion 2465C and Portion 2466C.

The most frustrating aspect of this is the lack of corrective action by the Department despite the report being made public. Up to this day, we continue to see the very same organization that was brought under the spot light continue to carry on its normal business.

The Commission of Inquiry has highlighted a total disregard of established laws governing procedures in obtaining Special Agriculture and Business Leases for Portion 2465C and Portion 2466C.

From the beginning, outsiders have colluded and conspired to defraud the legitimate landowners who still to this day are spectators in their own back yard. The perpetrators have made a total mockery of the system and must be held accountable. A precedent must be set to discourage those working within the system and those using the system from manipulating processes and procedure to suit their own purpose.

The onus is now on the Department of Lands to bring about natural justice by following the recommendations from the Commission of Inquiry and cancel the SABLs forthwith.

I have enclosed an extract of the findings of Commission of Inquiry in relation to the said Portions 2465C & 2466C and a copy of entire Commission of Inquiry for your perusal.

I trust that your office will uphold the decision of the Commission of Inquiry and to terminate these two SABLs in line with NEC directives.

I look forward to hearing from you favorably.

Yours sincerely,

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