



DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
Office of the Secretary

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TO: ALL DEPARTMENTAL HEADS
ALL PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATORS AND
HEADS OF OTHER FUNDED PUBLIC AUTHORITIES
ALL PUBLIC SERVANTS

SUBJECT: INDEPENDENCE PUBLIC HOLIDAY FOR 2022

This Circular Instruction is served to advise that **Friday 16th September, 2022 has been declared as a Public Holiday throughout Papua New Guinea to celebrate the forty-seventh (47) Independence Day**, as confirmed in the National Gazette No. 481 of 2021 and Circular Instruction No. 23 of 2021 on Public Holidays for 2022.

Public Servants in the Nation's Capital are encouraged to attend the Flag Raising Ceremony at Independence Hill from 5am – 9am and the Flag Lowering Ceremony at the Sir Hubert Murray Stadium from 3pm – 5pm. Those Public Servants in the Provinces are requested to attend and participate in the celebrations that are being organized in each respective Province.

Happy 47th Independence Day celebrations.


TAIES SANSAN (MS)
Secretary


“RISE UP, STEP UP, SPEAK UP”