



DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
Office of the Secretary

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


APPROVED PUBLIC HOLIDAY TO COMMEMORATE THE NATIONAL REMEMBRANCE DAY OF THE LATE FIRST PRIME MINISTER, GREAT GRAND CHIEF RT, HON. SIR MICHAEL T. SOMARE

This Circular Instruction is served to advise that **Monday 26th of February, 2024 has been declared as a National Remembrance Day** as per NEC Gazettal No. 698/2023 to observe this day as a Public Holiday throughout Papua New Guinea as this year marks the 3rd Anniversary of the passing of the Late Great Grand Chief Rt. Hon. Sir Michael Thomas. Somare, First Prime Minister of Papua New Guinea.

Agencies are requested to organize themselves to reflect and commemorate this event in their own settings.

All public Servants are required to resume normal duties commencing Tuesday 27th of February, 2024 at 7.45am.


TAIES SANSAN (MS)
Secretary



"RISE UP, STEP UP, SPEAK UP"