

**ACT NO. 2 OF 2015**

I assent.

E. NAILATIKAU  
President

[13 February 2015]

**AN ACT**

TO AMEND THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI MILITARY FORCES ACT (CAP. 81)

ENACTED by the Parliament of the Republic of Fiji—

*Short title and commencement*

**1.**—(1) This Act may be cited as the Republic of Fiji Military Forces (Amendment) Act 2015 and shall come into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette*.

(2) The Republic of Fiji Military Forces Act (Cap. 81) shall be referred to as the “Principal Act”.

*Section 23 amended*

**2.** Section 23(2) of the Principal Act is amended by inserting the following new paragraph after paragraph (b)—

“(bb) a court martial shall not have the power to impose a sentence of death and any reference to a sentence of death shall be read or construed as life imprisonment;”

*Section 31 amended*

**3.** Section 31(4) of the Principal Act is amended by deleting “Except in the case of a conviction involving sentence of death,”.

*Section 38 deleted*

4. The Principal Act is amended by deleting section 38.

Passed by the Parliament of the Republic of Fiji this 11th day of February 2015.