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## STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

### CONSOLIDATED REPORT ON THE ANNUAL REPORTS FOR THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TRADE (2013) AND TOURISM FIJI (2010- 2012)



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## **Review of the Ministry of Industry and Trade's 2013 Annual Report**

## **Review of Tourism Fiji's 2010 - 2012 Annual Report**

Report of the Standing Committee on Economic Affairs

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## RECOMMENDATIONS:

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1. The Economic Affairs Standing Committee has conducted a review of the Ministry of Industry and Trade's 2013 Annual Report, and has no matters to bring to the attention of the House. The committee recommends that the House take note of its report.
2. The Economic Affairs Standing Committee has conducted a review of Tourism Fiji's 2010 – 2012 Annual Report, and has no matters to bring to the attention of the House. The committee recommends that the House take note of its report.

## **GENDER ANALYSIS**

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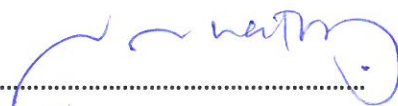
Gender is a critical dimension to parliamentary scrutiny. Standing Order 110 (1) requires committees to consider gender equality and ensure that the impact on both men and women is explored in all matters.

The Committee noted that out of the total staff establishment of the Ministry as at 2013, there were 29 female and 26 male established staff and 10 male Government Wage Earners.

We, the Members of the Standing Committee on Economic Affairs agree with the contents of this report:



Hon. Lorna Eden  
(Chairperson)



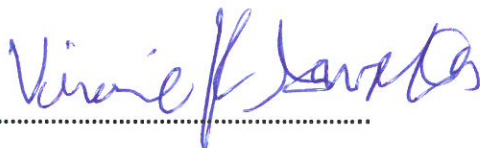
Hon. Vijay Nath  
(Deputy Chairperson)



Hon. Dr. Brij Lal  
(Member)



Hon. Prem Singh  
(Member)



Hon. Viliame Gavoka  
(Member)

Date: 26/9/2016

# APPENDICES

## **1.0 Committee procedure**

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We met on the 20<sup>th</sup> of September to conduct a review of the Ministry of Industry and Trade's 2013 Annual Report as well as Tourism Fiji's 2010 – 2012 consolidated Annual Report. We heard evidence from the Ministry of Industry, Trade and Tourism which was represented by the following officials:

- Mr Shaheen Ali – Permanent Secretary
- Ms Joy Khan – Head of Accounts
- Ms Meenal Kant – Head of Corporate Services Division
- Ms Nanise Masau – Acting Director
- Ms Notue Touakin – Senior Tourism Officer

## **1.1 Committee members**

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The substantive members of the Standing Committee on Economic Affairs are:

- Hon. Lorna Eden (Chairperson)
- Hon. Vijay Nath (Deputy Chairperson)
- Hon. Dr. Brij Lal (Member)
- Hon. Prem Singh (Member)
- Hon. Viliame Gavoka (Member)

During the Standing Committee's meetings, the following alternate membership arose pursuant to Standing Order 115(5):

- Hon. Jilila Kumar (Alternate Member for Hon. Lorna Eden)

## **1.2 Evidence and advice received**

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Information brief on Ministry of Industry and Trade's 2013 Annual Report and Tourism Fiji's 2010 – 2012 Annual Report, prepared by research staff, dated 19<sup>th</sup> September 2016.