

**PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI**

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND DEFENCE**

 **CALL FOR WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS**

The Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and Defence has commenced its review of the Convention on Cybercrime.

With the extreme effects of global cyber threats and attacks on critical sectors such as finance, ICT, energy, water, emergency services, public safety, health, public services, aviation and e-government infrastructure, the ***Convention on Cybercrime*** aims to enhance Fiji’s ability to combat cybercrime, with international support and assistance particularly in relation to continued capacity building, to better equip Fiji’s criminal justice authorities, including the judiciary, prosecution and law enforcement agencies.

In that regard, the Committee invites any interested person or institution to provide their views and comments on the Convention. Views and comments are to be provided in written form and can be submitted through electronic mail **or** hard copy correspondence.

Electronic copy of the written submission can be submitted through email address: s.korovou@parliament.gov.fj or darolin.vinisha@parliament.gov.fj and hardcopy of the written submission can be submitted and addressed to:

The Chairperson

Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and Defence

P.O. Box 2352

Parliament Complex, Government Buildings,

Suva.

It is important to note that all written submissions on the Convention on Cybercrime should be received by **4 p.m.**, **Friday 28th October 2022**.

A copy of the Convention can be found on the Parliament website, via the link:



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**HON. ALEXANDER O’CONNOR**

**(CHAIRPERSON)**