

3RD TERM OF PARLIAMENT—MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS	
YEAR	TOTAL
2023	40
2024	90
2025	101
2026	25
TOTAL	256

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS—2023					
NO	DATE	MINISTERIAL STATEMENT BY	TOPIC	SYNOPSIS	COMMENTS
1	29-3-2023	Hon. Sitiveni Rabuka Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Climate Change, Environment, Civil Service, Information, Public Enterprises and Veteran Affairs	The 8th “Our Ocean Conference” held in Panama 2–3 March 2023	The statement on the outcomes of the 8th Our Ocean Conference held in Panama	The Leader of the Opposition the Hon. Inia Seruiratu subsequently responded
2	29-3-2023	Hon. Lynda Tabuya Minister for Women, Children and Poverty Alleviation	Fiji Country Gender Assessment	This statement will elaborate on the Fiji Country Gender Assessment	The Hon. Mosese Bulitavu subsequently responded
	29-3-2023	Hon. Manoa Kam			

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13	4-4-2023	Hon. Dr Ratu Atonio Lalabalavu Minister for Health and Medical Services	100 days achievements	This statement will highlight the Ministry's achievement during the first 100 days	The Hon. Penioni Ravunawa subsequently responded
14	5-4-2023	Hon. Prof. Biman Prasad Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Strategic Planning, National Development and Statistics	Statement on the 2023 National Economic Summit and update	The Government has approved the 2023 National Economic Summit (NES) be held on 20 and 21 April 2023 after a period of almost a decade. The theme for the 2023 NES is 'Reshaping our Future through Genuine Dialogue and Collaboration'. The aim of the Summit is to bring our people together and create a collective national vision, with adequate sector	

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30	21-11-2023	Hon. Vatimi Rayalu Minister for Agriculture and Waterways	Self-Income Generating Agro based projects	This Ministerial Statement sets out the vision of the Ministry on the direction that the Agriculture sector should take on Agro processing, as part of the Agriculture diversification process. It involves taking good care of any surplus in agriculture production and trying as much as possible to avoid wastage especially when in season	The Hon. Sachida Nand subsequently responded
31	22-11-2023	Hon. Sitiveni Rabuka Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Climate Change, Environment, Civil Service, Information, Public Enterprises and Veteran Affairs	30th APEC and IPEF Leaders' Meeting	The statement will highlight the outcomes of the two meetings	The Leader of the Opposition the Hon. Inia Seruiratu subsequently responded
32	22-11-2023	Hon. Dr Ratu Atonio Lalabalavu Minister for Health and Medical Services	Climate Change and Health	The statement will cover the impacts of climate change and the actions taken globally and locally. The statement will emphasise how the Ministry of Health and Medical Services is taking up the challenge to address the issues relating to the impact of climate change on health in a sustainable manner. The statement will also outline future actions that will be taken based on the plans made during the preparatory phase	The Hon. Penioni Ravunawa subsequently responded
33	22-11-2023	Hon. Ifereimi Vasu Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Culture, Heritage and Arts	iTaukei Land Trust Board	The statement will highlight the major developments of the iTaukei Land Trust Board in 2023	The Hon. Ratu Josaia Niudamu subsequently responded
34	22-11-2023				

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APRIL SITTING					
1	15-4-2024	Hon. Ro Filipe Tuisawau Minister for Public Works and Meteorological Services, and Transport	Water Sector 2050 Strategy	The statement will discuss the current situation and plans moving forward.	The Hon. Jone Usamate subsequently responded
2	15-4-2024	Hon. Vatimi Rayalu Minister for Agriculture and Waterways	Drainage Services and Re-Establishment of Drainage Boards	The statement will discuss the state and progress of the drainage plans for farmers in the Central Western and Northern divisions.	The Hon. Sachida Nand subsequently

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MAY SITTING					
14	20-5-2024	Hon. Sitiveni Rabuka Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Climate Change, Environment, Civil Service, Information, Public Enterprises and Veteran Affairs	Elevated Vuvale Partnership	Ministerial Statement on recent developments relating to the elevated and renewed Vuvale Partnership between Fiji and Australia	The Leader of the Opposition the Hon. Inia Seruiratu subsequently responded
15	20-5-2024	Hon. Ifereimi Vasu Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Culture, Heritage and Arts	iTaukei Institution to New Zealand	Ministerial Statement on the recent trip by the members of	

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25	22-5-2024	Hon. Viliame Gavoka Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Tourism and Civil Aviation	Fiji's Transition to Open Skies	The statement will provide an update on Fiji's aviation policy, specifically on Open Skies, to enhance connectivity and drive economic growth in line with national interests.	The Hon. Faiyaz Koya subsequently responded
26	22-5-2024	Hon. Prof. Biman Prasad Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Strategic Planning, National Development and Statistics	Financial Management Information System (FMIS)	The Ministry of Finance, Strategic Planning, National Development and Statistics has been undergoing numerous reforms to modernise its systems and processes and had embarked on a significant IT project to replace the current 2-decade old Financial Management Information System (FMIS) and 40-year-old Payroll System. The new System is scheduled to "GO LIVE" on 1 August 20	

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39	7-8-2024	Hon. Manoa Kamikamica Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade, Co-operatives, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and Communications	Efforts to Target Impactful Investments in Fiji	The statement will cover the Policy Framework on Significant Investments in Fiji is to ensure that foreign direct investments contribute to the overall development of our nation in a sustainable and responsible manner. By establishing clear guidelines and criteria for evaluating and approving large-scale investments, we aim to attract investments that align with our national development priorities and benefit our people. This framework will help to safeguard the interests of Fijians by ensuring that investments are socially and environmentally sustainable, create employment opportunities and contribute to economic growth. By having a transparent and rigorous approval process in place, we can mitigate potential risks.	The Hon. Faiyaz Koya and Hon. Mosese Bulitavu subsequently responded
40	7-8-2024	Hon. Sakiasi Dit			

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89	5-12-24	Hon. Prof. Biman Prasad Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Strategic Planning, National Development and Statistics	Update on the Fiji Economy	The Fijian economy is now projected to grow by 3.8 percent in 2024, up from the 2.8 percent forecast in June. This upward revision is primarily due to a robust recovery in the tourism sector, along with growth in related industries such as transport, accommodation, wholesale & retail, and public administration, finance and insurance sectors. Consumption has been bolstered by the positive ripple effects from increased tourism, higher incomes, growing remittances, and increased Government spending. Investment activity has also risen, reflected in the growth of new lending by commercial banks for investment, particularly in building, construction, and other sectors. Inflation has fallen to 0.8 percent in November from 5.8 percent a year ago, and is expected to be much lower than the initially projected 3.5 percent by December 2024	The Hon. Premila Kumar and Hon. Viliame Naupoto subsequently responded
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