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LN No. 7 of 2012

**MADE UNDER SECTION 7(3) AND SECTION 16(1) OF THE MARITIME
ZONES ACT**

Commencement [22nd November, 2012]

1 Citation

This Order may be cited as the Declaration of Archipelagic Baselines 2012.

2 Commencement

This Declaration shall come into force on the date of publication.

3 Archipelagic baselines

- (1) The points between which straight archipelagic baselines are to be drawn, for the purpose of sections 7(2) and 7(3) of the Maritime Zones Act, are specified in Schedule 1.
- (2) The archipelagic baselines join to form an archipelago comprising Nukufetau, Funafuti and Nukulaelae.

4 Guide to reading Schedule 1

In the table in Schedule 1:

- (a) lines are generated by reference to points,
- (b) the first column sets out the point identifier,
- (c) the second and third columns set out the geographic coordinates for each point and

(d) the fourth column describes the location of the point.

5 Geodetic framework

In this Declaration, points defined by geographic coordinates are determined by reference to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 84). Points are connected by geodesic lines realised in the WGS 84.

6 Illustrative chart

The chart in Schedule 2 provides a general illustration of the archipelagic baselines specified in Schedule 1.

SCHEDULE 1 -

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Point Identifier	Latitude				Longitude				Point Reference	
TVBP0330	7°	55'	39.37"	S	178°	22'	48.89"	E	[Redacted]	point reference 2019 set in [Redacted] [Redacted] [Redacted]
TVBP0331	[Redacted]	55'	[Redacted]	S	[Redacted]				[Redacted]	

Point Identifier	Latitude	Longitude	Point Reference
			Nukufetau atoll
TVBP0342	8° 01' 48.85" S	178° 18' 14.10" E	Further most point on reef west of Fale islet in Nukufetau atoll
TVBP0343	8° 01' 50.97" S	178° 18' 13.52" E	Further most point on reef west of Fale islet in Nukufetau atoll
TVBP0344	8° 01' 52.95" S	178° 18' 14.56" E	Further most point on reef west of Fale islet in Nukufetau atoll
TVBP0345	8° 01' 55.88" S	178° 18' 17.20" E	Further most point on reef west of Fale islet in Nukufetau atoll
TVBP0346	8° 02' 00.35" S	178° 18' 22.21" E	Further most point on reef west of Fale islet in Nukufetau atoll
TVBP0347	8° 38' 36.57" S	179° 04' 23.60" E	Further most point on reef close south of Avalau islet in Funafuti atoll
TVBP0348	9° 25' 42.68" S	179° 50' 33.53" E	Further most point on reef south west of Temotutafa islet in Nukulaelae atoll

TVBP0349 9°

Point Identifier	Latitude	Longitude	Point Reference
			atoll
TVBP0354	9° 26' 08.86" S	179° 51' 28.20" E	Further most point on reef south of Fenualango islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0355	9° 26' 10.69" S	179° 51' 33.63" E	Further most point on reef south of the Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0356	9° 26' 10.78" S	179° 51' 34.28" E	Further most point on reef south of the Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0357	9° 26' 11.33" S	179° 51' 39.70" E	Further most point on reef south of the Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0358	9° 26' 11.23" S	179° 51' 44.29" E	Further most point on reef south of the Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0359	9° 26' 10.77" S	179° 51' 47.67" E	Further most point on reef south of the Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0360	9° 26' 10.49" S	179° 51' 48.27" E	Further most point on reef south of the Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0361	9° 26' 08.01" S	179° 51' 53.59" E	Further most point on reef east-south east of Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0362	9° 26' 06.58" S	179° 51' 55.50" E	Further most point on reef east-south east of Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0363	9° 26' 04.28" S	179° 51' 57.84" E	Further most point on reef east of Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll

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TVBP0364	9° 26' 02.25" S	179° 51' 59.60" E	Further most point on reef east of Motualama islet in Nukulaelae atoll
TVBP0365	9° 25' 58.07" S	179° 52' 01.77" E	Further most point on reef southA 1

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