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DIPLOMATIC AND INTERNATIONAL IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES

The Diplomatic Immunities (Conferences) (Papua New Guinea and Western Samoa) Order 1977

Laid before Parliament in draft

Made - - - -

11th May 1977

Coming into Operation

12th May 1977

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of May 1977

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas a draft of this Order has been laid before Parliament in accordance with section 2 of the Diplomatic Immunities (Conferences with Commonwealth Countries and Republic of Ireland) Act 1961(a) (hereinafter referred to as the Act) and has been approved by resolution of each House of Parliament:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of the powers conferred on Her by section 2 of the Act or otherwise in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

- 1. This Order may be cited as the Diplomatic Immunities (Conferences (Papua New Guinea and Western Samoa) Order 1977 and shall come into operation on 12th May 1977.
- 2. Papua New Guinea and Western Samoa, being countries within the Commonwealth, shall be included among the countries to which section 1 of the Diplomatic Immunities (Conferences with Commonwealth Countries and Republic of Ireland) Act 1961 applies.

N. E. Leigh,

Clerk of the Privy Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order adds Papua New Guinea and Western Samoa to the countries included in the Diplomatic Immunities (Conferences with Commonwealth Countries and Republic of Ireland) Act 1961, under which diplomatic immunities may be conferred upon Commonwealth representatives, and their staffs, attending governmental conferences.

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