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AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELECTORAL PROVISIONS PARLIAMENT ACT TO ALLOW COSTS PROPERLY INCURRED BY THE GOVERNMENT OR ANY TUVALU CITIZEN REGARDING AN ELECTION PETITION TO BE A CHARGE ON PUBLIC REVENUE

Commencement [1st January, 2015]

1 Short Title

This Act may be cited as the Electoral Provisions Parliament (Amendment) Act 2014.

2 Commencement

This Act shall commence on a date the Minister by notice appoints.

3 Amendment

(a) Section 60 (2) Expenses of Registrations and Elections

repeal and replace with “All costs of legal proceedings properly incurred by a Tuvalu citizen or the government under PART V (Election Petitions) shall be a charge on public revenue provided always that a Tuvalu citizen’s entitlement under this provision shall not exceed 5,000 dollars.

(b) Where a number of Tuvalu citizens are represented as one party to an election petition, their entitlement as a party to the legal proceedings is limited to \$5000.00

(c) Section 60 (3) Returning Officers, Assistant Returning Officers and presiding officers shall receive such reasonable remuneration from public funds as the Minister may authorise.