



Friday 27th December 2024

Hon. Charlot SALWAI TABIMASMAS, Prime Minister of the Republic of Vanuatu
Government of the Republic of Vanuatu.

Dear Hon. Prime Minister,

**COM DECISION NO 358: PORT-VILA & EFATE EARTHQUAKE RECOVERY AND
RESILIENT PLAN.**

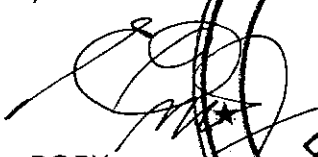
The Council of Ministers (COM -13th LEGISLATURE) held its 34th (Thirty-fourth)
URGENT COM MEETING on Friday 27th December 2024 and made the
following decisions:

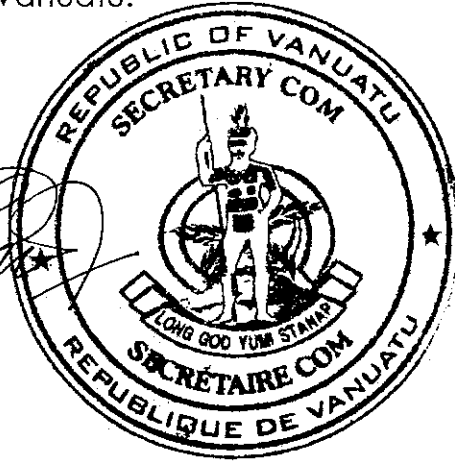
1. COM **endorses & approves** the Port-Vila & Efate Earthquake Recovery and Resilient Plan and **instructs** that the recovery needs cost be revised for COM approval as soon as practicable.
2. COM **endorses** and **approves** the NRC decision to declare the recovery process for a period of 0-24 months for the Port-Vila & Efate Earthquake.
3. COM **approves** the NRC Decision to issue orders to humanitarian responding agencies during the recovery process period to avoid further danger to people's lives.
4. COM **mandates** the Department of Finance, Department of Foreign Affairs and DSPPAC to regularly update the committee members on the bilateral and multilateral financial assistance for the earthquake recovery.
5. COM **mandate** all humanitarian across local, regional and international to work through line ministries as cluster leads to implement recovery and resilience plans.

6. COM **mandates** all government line agencies, bilateral and multilateral agencies to adhere to all instructions and orders.

7. COM **instructs** the Ministry of Internal Affairs (MOIA) & the Ministry of Infrastructure & Public Utilities (MIPU) to produce a building & drainage code for Vanuatu.

Thank you.


Esther RORY
Secretary



Cc: Hon. Prime Minister

Hon. DPM

All Hon. Ministers

All DGs

All 1ST PA

Attorney General

Chairman of the Public Service Commission

Director Finance

Treasury Unit

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