



# MANEABA NI MAUNGATABU

## 9<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the 11<sup>th</sup> Maneaba Ni Maungatabu

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#### ORAL QUESTIONS

1. By Hon, Tewaki Kobae, MM(Tabuieran)

**OQ17.** E korakora kainanoan te mwakuri n onobwai /katamaroa nakon te buriti are e tei I tabon te kaawa ae Betania mai maiaki. E kona te Tautaeaka n tobwa ao n anga ana ibuobuoki nakon te oi ni kainano aei?

**Translation/Rairana**

Maintenance/repair work gravely needed to a bridge located at the southern part of Betania village. Can this Government kindly accommodate and provide assistance to this genuine need?

**OQ18.** Tinateeta Ueue bon temanna ibuakoia monita ake a kateirakeaki n te reirei ae NCL Primary School n te moan teem 2014 ni karokoa banen te ririki. Man te tai arei ni karokoa te bong aio ao e tuai man reke irouna boona ibukin te moan term n te ririki anne ao ai uana naba ma ana mwane ni motirawa. Au fitiraki nakon te Minita ae e rine bwa e kona n tobwaaki ni kaetaki te kairua aei?

**Translation/Rairana**

Tinateeta Ueue was one among those contract teachers employed at NCL Primary School from beginning term one 2014 till end of the year. Since then until date, she has not received her pay/salary for whole of term One that year so as her leave grant. My question to the Honourable Minister, can such mistake be corrected accordingly?

**OQ19.** I kona ni butia te Minita ae e rine n te MIA bwa e na anga ana kabwarabwara bukin baenikain kabwakaan ana kanuanga n onomwi au aomata ae Kiereere Ngaluenga?

### ***Translation/Rairana***

Can I request Honourable Minister of MIA to give clarifications on the holdback in payment of the acting/charge allowance to my constituent, namely Kiereere Ngaluenga?

## **2. By Hon. England Iuta, MM (Beru)**

**OQ20.** Iai noran ae e aki nakoraoi aron kanimwakin biikan n rooro n te rawa are i Taboiaki bwa a kunea Taan akawa bwa iai aia kanganga ni kaetietan kawaia n roro, riki n te bong. A kona ni manga tuokai riki bikan aikai ao ni karaoaki mwakuri ni katamaroa nako iai?

### ***Translation/Rairana***

It appears that the navigational beacons at the boat passage at Taboiaki have not been aligned properly that fishing boats often find difficult to navigate their way into the passage especially at night. Can these navigational aids be re-inspected and to be properly realigned?

**OQ21.** E a uruaki ngkai ao ai akea rabwatan te boera ke te kai n akawa are e mena i tabon te kaawa ae Taboiaki mai meang, e kona te Tautaeka ni karekea onean mwiina taiaoka?

### ***Translation/Rairana***

The fish buoy at the northern end of Taboiaki village has been damaged beyond repair, can Government provide a replacement?

**OQ22.** E kona te Minita ibukin Mwamwananga ni kamatoa bwa te raitienti are anganaki kaibuken Tuvalu are MV Nivanga III ni uotia bwatintia rinanon Kiribati, n aron are e baonia iai kain te runga man abamakoro tabeua, e karaoaki imwain mangangan te kaibuke aei n te tai arei, ke e nang tibwa karaoaki imwin are e a tia ni karairaki te kaibuke anne nako Tuvalu?

### ***Translation/Rairana***

Can the Minister for Transport confirm that the license issued to the Tuvaluan vessel MV Nivanga III to carry passengers within Kiribati as it did in transporting participants of the Runga last year, was it issued before the said vessel started on such operation and not well after the ship had returned to Tuvalu?

**OQ23.** E kona ni kamatoa te Tautaeka bwa nakon n ningai ae e na kantaningaki iai karokoan te tareboon iaon Beru ao te kambwana raa ae e a tia ni katebenakoaki bwa e na kamwakuria?

***Translation/Rairana***

Can Government confirm when is the mobile roll out expected in Beru and has an operator been selected?

**3. By Hon Shiufung Jong, MM (South Tarawa)**

**OQ24.** Aio teuana naba mai ibuakon au fitiraki are e aki reke mwemwe n bowin te Maneaba ae e nako n irekereke ma butiakin te Tautaeka ngkana e kona n nora riain katamaroan aia contract Taan mwakuri n ana tabo ni karikirake ae te Ecofarm ao n kaekaan au fitiraki aio ao e kukurei n taekinna te Minitita are tabena bwa e tauraoi ana tabo ni mwakuri are e tararua te Ecofarm ni manga rinanon aia boraraoi Taan mwakuri aikai ao ni katamaroai itera ake a kainnanao te katamaroa.

N na butia te Minitita are tabena ngkana e kona ni kaongoa te Maneaba aei bwa e a bwaka iaa ngkai mwakurian te katamaroa nakon aia boraraoi taan mwakuri aikai?

***Translation/Rairana***

This is one of my questions that was not raised in the last meeting of Maneaba Ni Maungatabu where Government was requested if it could see the need to review and improve the contract for its workers at Ecofarm and in response to this particular question the responsible Minister was pleased to inform this Maneaba that its Ministry was happy to review the current contract agreement used by Ecofarm staff with a view to improve areas that would need improvement.

May I request the Minister concerned to update this house on what have been done so far on the review of the Ecofarm Staffs' contract agreement.

**OQ25.** E kona te Tautaeka ke te Minitita are tabena ni kaongoa te Maneaba aei bwa e a bwaka iaa ngkai taekan te taura te Solar are a taekinna ngkoa bwa e na katoaaki iai baia kaain Tarawa Teinainano ma Betio?

***Translation/Rairana***

Can Government or the Minister concerned inform or update this House on the current status of the Solar Lights that they said they will provide to all who live on Tarawa Teinainano and Betio?

**4. By Hon. Pinto Katia, MM (Makin)**

**OQ27.** E kona te Tautaeka ke te Minita are tabena ni ibuobuoki nakon te kanganga ae babanen mwanen te tangomwane ae e waaki iai te DBK?

***Translation/Rairana***

Can this Government and the Minister concerned provide more assistance financially to DBK to make sure that the funds are not exhausted especially to Loan Scheme?

**OQ28.** E kona te Tautaeka aio ni kakaea angan katamaroan riki te reitaki ma Air Kiribati limited imwin te tai ao n te weekend taiaoka?

***Translation/Rairana***

Can this Government find ways of addressing better communication with Air Kiribati Limited after working hours and weekends as well?

**OQ29.** N na butia te Tautaeka aio bwa e kona ni ibuobuoki ni karekei Iti (Ibukin tuoakin mwaun Takataka) nakon Atimakoro ao kaawa ake a rangi n raroanako ma te tabo ni katine?

***Translation/Rairana***

May I request this Government if they can assist in providing moisture content meters to isolated islets and to villages that are so far away from copra weighs?

**OQ30.** E teimatoa te bubuti ao te kan ongora irouia kain ara abamakoro ae Makin ibukin te reitaki rinanon te Mobile. N ana kaeka te Minita ae karineaki ao e katautaua te mwakuri inanon te namakaina ae Aokati. E kona n kamtoa te Tautaeka bwa e na bon waaki te mwakuri iaon Makin inanon te namakaina aio ae e a kaan toki ngkai?

***Translation/Rairana***

People on the island of Makin will continue to ask and at the same time seek information on when the mobile service can be used on the island. According to the Minister's response he informed this House that work will commence in the month of August. Can this Government reaffirms that work will surely commence in this month?