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Guadalcanal Convention to consider Honiara City boundary in 2011 Draft Federal Constitution review

Guadalcanal Provincial Convention, which is currently reviewing the 2011 Draft Federal Constitution for two weeks, will be considering Honiara City's boundary shared with the Province in its review exercise next week.

According to team leader of Guadalcanal Constitutional Congress team Mrs. Hilda Kari, the Convention, which started on Monday 30th April, has moved ahead of its program to review majority of the Chapters in the 2011 Draft including the Preamble this week.

She said that now they are preparing to consider the Honiara City boundary in detail according to Chapter 17 starting Monday next week, along with ten Schedules of the draft Federal Constitution.

Mrs. Kari and the Province's Congress team members Mr. Rodger Tovosia and Mr. Joseph Anea; EPAC members Mr. Jerry Sabino and Mr. Paul Tovua, and National Nominee Mr. Walton Naezon are currently at the AOG Centre in Binu with about 50 participants including community leaders, Members of the Provincial Assembly, legal professionals from the Province, women, and youth representatives, for this Convention.

Consultant Lawyer of Constitutional Reform Unit (CRU) Mr. Reginald Teutao has been with the Convention since it commenced to provide legal assistance.

Guadalcanal Convention should be complete by Friday 11th May 2012, and will be followed on by Central Islands Provincial Convention on Monday 14th May.

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