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Made by the Registrar General under section 5 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act¹

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1 Short title

These Regulations may be cited as the Registrar General's Births, Deaths and Marriages Regulations.

PART I - ORGANISATION

2 Sub-registries

- (1) Every sub-registrar as described in section 2 of the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act shall designate one of his clerks to be the registration clerk.
- (2) He shall notify the name of this clerk to the Registrar General.
- (3) If this clerk is for any reason not available the sub-registrar will designate another clerk to take his place. If the substitution is likely to be for more than one month, the Registrar General must be informed.
- (4) In the Central Registry, which also acts as the sub-registry for Tongatapu, the sub-registrar will be assisted by the Vital Statistics Officer and such clerks as the Registrar General shall direct.