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Launch of Candidates Manual

Fiji's first Candidates Manual will be launched on today at Fiji National University's Nasinu campus. The nominations for the election closed yesterday and today the Supervisor of Elections has released a list of all those nominated as candidates for the September General Election.

The Candidates Manual provides a handbook for candidates, polling agents, party officials, the media to understand the electoral process and the obligations that go with campaigning for election. In a sense, the manual will provide all candidates with a self-help handbook to campaigning.

This ceremony to for the September national election will held at 3.45 in the Conference Room. The Charge de Affaires of the Embassy of Japan, which has sponsored the production of the Manual, and the Vice Chancellor of FNU will present copies of the Manual to the parties, candidates and media.

Workshops to explain the Manual and its use will be offered to all parties and candidates in the days following the launch.

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