



Niue contribution to the Regional Assistance Mission to Solomon Islands

Niue is one of the smallest Pacific Island nations to join RAMSI and in posting two of their 16 police officers to RAMSI's Participating Police Force, Niue is making a proportionately strong commitment to the Participating Police Force.



Tonyata Edwards

TONYATA KOSE EDWARDS recently completed his service to the mission as a very active member of RAMSI's Participating Police Force. Tony, as he is commonly known, was part of PPF's the newly structured Community Relations Team that works both with the Solomon Islands community and with their counterparts in the Solomon Islands Police Forces Community Policing team.

The Community Relations Team makes regular visits to villages and schools in the Solomon Islands to explain the role of RAMSI and to hear from Solomon Islanders about the issues that concern them.

Their role is to build understanding relationships with the community and build community confidence in the Solomon Islands Police Force. Tony was also very active in the mission's wider Community Outreach Program, most recently during a week-long RAMSI Outreach Stall during the Independence Celebrations held this year in Auki, the capital of Malaita Province. He is part of the Niue police's pioneer contingent in mission.

CURRENT NIUE CONTRIBUTION

Participating Police Force advisors 1

A partnership with the government and people of Solomon Islands to build a peaceful, well-governed and prosperous nation.

