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For the people of the Fiji Islands

There is a dawn at the end of the darkest night

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Abbreviations

ALTA	Agricultural Landlord and Tenant Act
ALTO	Agricultural Landlord and Tenant Ordinances
BP	British Petroleum
CSR	Colonial Sugar Refining Company
FAP	Fijian Association Party
FLP	Fiji Labour Party
FNP	Fijian Nationalist Party
FPC	Fiji Pine Commission
GCC	Great Council of Chiefs
GEA	General Electors Association
GVP	General Voters Party
NFP	National Federation Party
NLTB	Native Land Trust Board
PANU	Party of National Unity
SVT	Soqosoqo ni Taukei ni Vanua
UGP	United General Party
USP	University of the South Pacific
WUF	Western United Front