



NOTICE TO TAXPAYING PUBLIC

Fiji Islands Revenue and Customs Authority (FIRCA) has received numerous complaints from taxpayers and accountants that persons who are NOT registered tax agents are approaching taxpayers and are enticing them by using names of Senior Officials of the Authority to lodge fraudulent returns and are assuring them huge VAT refunds.

The Authority wishes to advise members of the public to exercise caution when approached by these “bogus tax agents” and report the matter immediately to police or the Authority.

Tax agents are issued with Tax Agents Registration Certificates and identification cards by the Tax Agents’ Board, whose services can be acquired for the preparation of the tax returns. General public may visit our Customer Services Centers in Lautoka, Labasa and Suva to obtain any information regarding preparation of tax returns.

Furthermore, members of the public are reminded that officials of the Authority who are assigned field duties carry authorised warrant cards with their photographs. These officers are instructed to produce their warrant cards on demand.

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