



PUBLIC NOTICE

FIRCA TO COLLECT DEPARTURE TAX FROM JANUARY 1, 2011

The Fiji Islands Revenue & Customs Authority (FIRCA) wishes to inform the general public that in accordance with Government's directive as stated in the 2011 Budget Address, FIRCA will be collecting departure tax from January 1, 2011.

Operators of commercial flights need to pay FIRCA by the **15th of every month AFTER** month of travel.

Operators of private jets need to pay **BEFORE** departing the country.

Payment is to be made in **cash** or **bank cheques only** to:

- (i) Customs cashiers at **ALL FIRCA offices; OR**
- (ii) the Customs officer on duty at the Baggage hall at the Nadi International or the Nausori Airports.

ALTERNATIVELY, ANZ and Westpac customers can make **electronic payments** through their Internet or Telephone banking services.

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