

Appendix 4

Information on Inter-Island Vessel travel

SMALL CRAFTS AND YACHTS

For small crafts that intend to travel carrying important provisions between Viti Levu and closer islands are to call Maritime Surveillance Centre (MSC) on 3315380 and tell the centre on their travel intentions. The following information must be conveyed:

- i. Name of Boat Captain;
- ii. Name and Number of Crew (Max of 3);
- iii. Cargo;
- iv. Departure and Destination Point;
- v. MSAF Issued Boat Number; and
- vi. Phone Contact.

For further clarifications and queries, please contact Fiji Navy on 9904618 or 7356367.

ALL FISHING RELATED ACTIVITIES

Please note that fishing for subsistence and commercial purposes will be allowed during the curfew hours, as long as **fishermen leave their home ports well-before curfew hours.**

For any fishing related activities and clarifications, please contact Ministry of Fisheries on 9966745

RO-RO AND CONVENTIONAL VESSELS

For enquiries about any services provided by Ro-Ro & Conventional Vessels servicing the economical and uneconomical routes, please contact the Director of Transport – Ms. Faranise Kinivuwai on 9983245

Following are steps that must be taken by all shipping and truck companies:

- Vessel operators are to allow trucks and drivers to embark.
- Vessel operators are to keep a register of details for all drivers who board the vessels.

- All drivers are to wear Personal Protective Equipment at all times.
- Shipping operators are to discourage crew members from unnecessarily disembarking at ports and jetties and socialising at these points.
- For inter-island shipping, shipping operators and crew are to offload cargo and freight at a designated location on the jetty or port.
- Drivers can now move with their vehicles and deliver in outlying island.
- Truckers and vessel operators are to ensure that proper screening takes place by filling in the necessary form.
- Members of the public collecting freight are to collect from this point, practising social distancing. They are not to board the vessel under any circumstances.
- All turaga ni koros to liaise with Itaukei Affairs for further information.