[LEGAL NOTICE NO. 67]

# AIRPORT DEPARTURE TAX ACT 1986 (ACT No. 5 of 1986)

# Airport Departure Tax (Amendment) Regulations 2013

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 8 of the Airport Departure Tax Act 1986, I hereby make these Regulations—

#### Short title and commencement

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Airport Departure Tax (Amendment) Regulations 2013, and shall come into force on 1 January 2014.
- (2) The Airport Departure Tax Regulations 1986 shall be referred to as the "Principal Regulations".

## Regulation 4 amended

The Principal Regulations are amended by deleting regulation 4 and substituting the following—

## "Distribution of tax payable

- 4.—(1) The tax collected under regulation 3 shall be paid as follows—
  - (a) \$175 shall be paid directly to the Consolidated Fund;
  - (b) \$10 shall be paid to Airports Fiji Limited;
  - (c) \$5 shall be paid to the Civil Aviation Authority of Fiji; and
  - (d) \$10 shall be the environmental levy paid directly to the Consolidated Fund.
- (2) The distribution of tax payable specified in sub-regulation (1) shall be shown on every purchased airline ticket."

#### New regulation inserted

3. The Principal Regulations are amended by inserting the following new regulation after regulation 6-

#### "Transitional

- 7.—(1) Any passenger who pays Airport Departure Tax on or after 1 January 2014 shall be subject to the new rate of \$200.
- (2) Any passenger who pays Airport Departure Tax before 1 January 2014 shall be subject to the old rate of \$150."

Dated this 21st day of November 2013.

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