



Monday, June 20, 2016

**General Announcement 2016_03 –
Re: The Republic of Fiji Offshore Vehicle Inspection**

Dear Stakeholder,

We are pleased to announce the Fiji Land Transport Authority (Fiji LTA) has appointed JEVIC for the inspection conduct of used vehicles from Japan for use in the Republic of Fiji.

From August 15th, 2016, all used vehicle destined for Fiji will require a JEVIC Pre-Export Appraisal Report.

The inspection will encompass vehicle condition, as well as structural, odometer, stolen vehicle and biosecurity aspects.

In Brief:

Requirement date in Fiji:	15-August, 2016
Commencement date of inspection in Japan:	15-July, 2016
Inspection Fee:	¥8,700* (plus 8% tax)
Report Format:	E-Certificate (PDF)
Booking:	JEVIC Yokohama

*May be subject to travel fees depending on location

Inspections may be carried out at freight forwarder and/or exporter premises. Please contact the JEVIC Head Office in Yokohama to make booking arrangements.

We look forward to your support of this important new initiative. Further details are available on the JEVIC website, however should you have any questions or require further information please do not hesitate to contact your local JEVIC representative.

Sincere regards,

JEVIC



Date: 15th June 2016

Re: Off-shore Vehicle Inspection Requirement

To whom it may concern,

To ensure quality standards of used vehicles imported for use into the Republic of Fiji, the Fiji Land Transport Authority (LTA) are now requiring all used vehicles exported from Japan to be covered by an Off-shore Vehicle Inspection and resulting documentation.

For this purpose, the Land Transport Authority, through international competitive tender has appointed the Japan Export Vehicle Inspection Center Co. Ltd (JEVIC) to perform this inspection in Japan. This inspection will appraise vehicle condition, as well as structural, odometer, stolen vehicle and biosecurity aspects.

Please be advised that from August 15th, 2016, no used vehicle imported from Japan will be allowed to enter Fiji and be registered for use unless it has been inspected by JEVIC and has appropriate documentation. Importers of used vehicles shall ensure that vehicles intended for export to Fiji shall receive the JEVIC inspection prior to shipment, and upon inspection are issued with a Fiji Offshore Vehicle Appraisal, and seal affixed to the windscreen.

Inspections in Japan will commence from July 15th. The inspection fee, regulated by Land Transport Fiji, is FJ\$169.00 (VEP), approximately ¥8,700 per vehicle, payable to JEVIC in Japan.

You are kindly invited to co-operate with JEVIC who will arrange with vehicle exporters to conduct inspections at freight forwarders and exporters premises in and around the main used vehicle export ports in Japan.

Please note that the LTA will be hosting a meeting on Wednesday, June 15th to further apprise stakeholders, details to be advised.

The Land Transport Authority would like to thank you in advance for your co-operation in this important initiative.

Yours sincerely

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