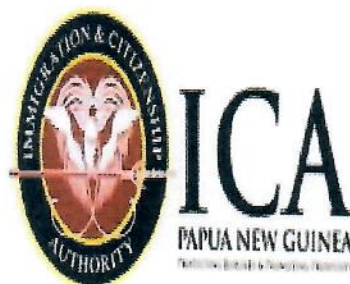




DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS



JOINT PUBLIC NOTICE

This Public Notice serves to inform all Stakeholders, Employment Agents, Clients and the General Public that the Foreign Employment Division Office will close for business to the public on Friday 19th November 2021.

During the shutdown period, all Employers are encouraged to submit all outstanding work permit applications on or before 19/11/2021 to avoid any unforeseen inconvenience.

This notice also serves to inform that the Foreign Employment Division (FED) Staff, Assets and the Work Permit System will be relocating to Immigration & Citizenship Service Authority within a period of two week commencing Monday 22/11/2021 to Monday 06/12/2021.

The Foreign Employment Division will recommence normal business on Wednesday 12 January 2022 at the Office of Immigration & Citizenship Service Authority at the Central Government Office, Waigani.

A formal ceremony will subsequently follow at the Central Government Office on Tuesday 07/12/2021 for the Prime Minister and the Minister for Immigration and Border Security and the Minister for Labor and Industrial Relation with relevant Department Heads to announce and launch the merger of the Foreign Employment Division with Immigration and Citizenship Service Authority.

We apologize for any inconvenience that may be caused as a result of the relocation of the Foreign Employment Division to Immigration and Citizenship Service Authority

Mr. George Taunakekei
Acting Secretary
Department of Labour & Industrial Relations

Mr. Stanis Hulahau
Chief Migration Officer
Immigration & Citizenship Service Authority