



PRESS RELEASE

FCCC Thanks Coca-Cola and Star Printery for support towards Veilomani Food Bank Wednesday 22 April 2020

The Fijian Competition and Consumer Commission (FCCC) thanked Coca-Cola Amatil Fiji and Star Printery for their contribution and support to the Veilomani Food Bank.

The initiative is being led by FCCC as part of their social corporate responsibility and aims to assist Fijian families whose family members, relatives or workmates tested positive for COVID-19 and were directly affected by the quarantine because no one from the family is able to go to work.

“I would like to thank Coca-Cola Amatil Fiji for donating 28 bins and 15 cartons which will be placed around major supermarkets in Fiji. Similarly, we would also like to thank Star Printery for printing over 300 copies of posters to be placed in all supermarkets,” said FCCC CEO, Joel Abraham.

Abraham encouraged other corporate houses to follow suit by contributing to help Fijians who are unable to put food on their table.

“We need to show solidarity and stand together with them during these uncertain times. I am reminded of a phrase - ‘There but for the grace of God go I’, ” said Abraham.

“What this means is that had circumstances been slightly different, we could be the ones facing these difficulties so we should appreciate that we are not in the same situation, and we should do what we can to help.”

Distribution of food items in the Western division and Labasa has been set up for those wishing to donate and donation bins will be available at select supermarkets.

Central Eastern Division Donation Bins Distribution List:

RB Patel

Suva City – Rodwell Road, Suva

Centrepont – Laucala Beach, Nasinu

Southpoint – Nakasi

Nausori

IGA New World Supermarket

Damodar City – Grantham Road

FNPF Plaza – Elery St

MH/ Max Val U

Suva City – MHCC Building

Vivarass – Laucala Beach

Valelevu – Daniva Road

Nakasi – Nakasi Complex (not Rups Complex)

Nausori – Town

Navua

For efficient distribution and tracking of items it is recommended that donations be made of the following items in the following quantities:

4 kg Flour

4 kg Rice

5 Cans of Tuna

2 Cans of Tin Fish

2 Litre Cooking Oil

2 kg Dhal

2 packets Salt

Tea Leaves 100 g

2 kg Potato

2 kg Onion

500g Garlic

2 packs of Bathing Soap

2 packets of Breakfast Crackers

2 kg Sugar

5 Pack Noodles

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