



Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Labour
Matagaluega o Pisinisi, Alamanuia ma Leipa



PUBLIC NOTICE

Assistance Schemes administered by the Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Labour

We wish to notify the public & members of the business community about the Government support programmes that are administered by the Ministry for the purpose of industry development and the promotion of investment:

PURPOSE OF ASSISTANCE SCHEMES & ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Duty Concession Scheme for the Tourism & Manufacturing Development Scheme	This support program is to encourage the development of the Tourism and Manufacturing industries through duty concessions on building and construction materials, furnishings and raw materials. Tourism Sector: / In order to be eligible for this assistance, applicants must be a holder of a current business license and are VAGST registered. / Only include properly built and fully furnished motels, hotels & resorts providing short term tourist accommodations. / Consideration of assistance for New and Existing developments; • Existing operators: consideration will only be given if the expansion consists of no less than four (4) rooms or two (2) self-contained units; • New developments: consideration will be accorded to projects that intend to construct twelve (12) or more properly build rooms/units; • The new development project has a capital investment value of at least \$million tala. Manufacturing Sector: / In order to be eligible for this assistance, applicants must be a holder of a current business license and are VAGST registered. / Has a principal objective of manufacturing/processing for the domestic and overseas markets (exports)
2. Code 121 Duty Exemption Scheme	This scheme provides duty exemption assistance on imported raw materials to further develop domestic businesses including: Commercial Poultry Farmers, Commercial Manufacturers of Agricultural Products, Commercial Handicraft Manufacturers and Commercial Elei Garment Manufacturers to effectively manufacture quality competitive products for both the domestic and international markets. / For applicants to be eligible they must present a current business license and are VAGST registered. / Further, the applicant must also have an annual turnover equivalent to or more than SAT\$130,000.00 .

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3. Duty Concession Scheme for the Aviation Development Scheme	This scheme is one of the government's support programs aimed at further encouraging the development for Aviation Transport Development for small aircraft carriers. ./ For applicants to become eligible, they must be beneficial to the economy of Samoa; ./ To be in the public interest. ./ The project is new to Samoa and must establish a new travel route or re-establish an old route no longer serviced by an air transport provider. ./ The applicant has no other aviation transport operations in any other country.
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For more information about these assistance programmes please contact Ms Fiu Jacinta Matulino or Ms Lisi . Maranata Iosefa of the Industry Development and Investment Promotion Division of the Ministry on telephone numbers: 20441/20442/32548, email: jacinta.matulino@mci.gov.ws or lisi.iosefa@mci.gov.ws or visit us at Level 4 of the Accident Compensation Corporation (ACC) Building.

Fa'afetai,



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FA'ASILASILAGA

Polokalame Fesoasoani o lo'o fa'atautaia e le Matagaluega o Pisinisi, Alamanuia ma Leipa

E fa'asilasila atu i le mamalu o tagata lautele fa'apea le 'au fai-pisinisi i ni isi nei o Polokalame Fesoasoani o lo'o fa'atautaia e le Matagaluega mo le atina'eina o pisinisi i ni isi o vaega o loo taua i lalo:

POLOKALAME FESOASOANI MATA'IALA E AGAVA'A AI

1. Polokalame Fesoasoani mo le meafale faapea oloa gaosi ina ia fesoasoani ai i le atina'eina o pisinisi tau Tagata tuusaunoaina o Tafafao Maimoa mai Fafo (Turisi) ma Oloa Gaosi i le atunu'u.	
0 lenei polokalame fesoasoani o le tuusaunoaina o tiute o oloa faufale, oloa Fesoasoani mo le meafale faapea oloa gaosi ina ia fesoasoani ai i le atina'eina o pisinisi tau Tagata tuusaunoaina o Tafafao Maimoa mai Fafo (Turisi) ma Oloa Gaosi i le atunu'u.	
Tiute mo Atina'e o Pisinisi TauTurisi ma Oloa Gaosi	Atina'e tau Faletalimalo: ./ Ina ia agava'a mo lea fesoasoani e tatau ona i ai se Laisene Pisinisi ma ia Lesitala i le Lafoga mo le Tau Fa'aopoopo o Oloa ma Auaunaga (VAGST). ./ E na o faletalimalo e fa'ameafaleina atoaatoa e agava'a i lea fesoasoani. ./ Mo le iloiloaina o talosaga e agavaa mo fesoasoani mo atina'e fou ma atina'e o loo faagasolo: • Pisinisi o loo faagasolo atina'e: e agavaa pe afai o le faalauteleina o le faletalimalo e le i lalo ifo ma le fa (4) potu po o le lua (2) fale taitasi e faameafaleina uma; • Atina'e Fou: e agavaa atina'e e fia fausia potu e sefulu ma le lua (12) pe sili atu po o ni fale taitasi e faameafaleina uma; • O le tau aofai o tupe fa'aagaga a le poloketi po o le pisinisi o fia talosaga, ia SAT\$1 miliona pe sili atu. Atina'e tau Oloa Gaosi: ./ Ina ia agava'a mo lea fesoasoani e tatau ona i ai se Laisene Pisinisi ma ia Lesitala i le Lafoga mo le tau Fa'aopoopo o Oloa ma Auaunaga (VAGST); ./ E i ai le sini autu o le gaosia o oloa mo le makekit i Samoa ma atunuu fafo.
2. Code 121 Fesoasoani mo le Tuusaunoaina o Tiute mo Pisinisi Laiti.	0 lenei polokalame e mo le tuusaunoaina o tiute ina ia una'ia ai le atina'eina o pisinisi laiti i Samoa e aofia ai; Pisinisi tau Fa'ato'aga Lafu Moa; Pisinisi Gaosia Oloa mai fua o fa'ato'aga mo le faatauina atu i makekti i fafo; Pisinisi Gaosia Mea Taulima, ma Pisinisi e Eleiina Laei mo le fa'atauina atu i totonu o Samoa m atunuu i fafo. ./ Mo le agava'a i lea fesoasoani e tatau ona i ai se Laisene Pisinisi, ma ia lesitalaina i le Lafoga o le tau fa'aopoopo o oloa (VAGST). ./ Tatau i le pisinisi ona ausia tupe maua e tusa pe sili atu foi ma le \$130,000.00 Tala i le tausaga.

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3. Polokalame Fesoasoani mo le Tuusaunoaina o Tiute mo le Atina'e o Pisinisi Tau Femalagaina i le Ea po o Vaalele Laiti.	0 lenei polokalame a le Malo ina ia fesoasoani ai i le atina'eina o pisinisi tau femalagaiga i luga o le ea po o vaalele laiti. ./ Ina ia agava'amo lea fesoasoani, e tatau ona iai sesa o le pisinisi i le atina'eina o le tamaoaga ma le mauia lautele o Samoa. ./ O se auaunaga e fou i totonu o Samoa ma o le a toe fa'aaogaina ai ni auala uia ua le toe fa'aogaina e pisinisi va'alele sa iai muamua pe o le a tatalaina foi nisi o auala uia fou. ./ E le o faia lea pisinisi po o lea auaunaga a le o lo o talosaga i isi atunuu.
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Mo ni isi fa'amatalaga e fa'atatau i nei Polokalame Fesoasoani fa'afeso'ota'i mai Fiu Jacinta Matulino po o Lisi Maranata Iosefa o le Vaega mo le Atina'e o Pisinisi ma Alamanuia i le telefoni: 20441/20442 /32548, imeli: jacinta.matulino@mcil.gov.ws po o lisi.iosefa@mcil.gov.ws; po o lou asiasi mai i le Fogafale 4 o le Fale mo Tau'i o Fa'alavelave Fa'afuase'i i Apia.

Fa'afetai,



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OFISA SILI O PULEGA

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