

REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

THE VANUATU METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES (METEOROLOGICAL CHARGES)
(REGULATION) (AMENDMENT) ORDER NO. 7 OF 1991

To amend the Vanuatu Meteorological Services (Meteorological Charges) (Regulation) Order No. 46 of 1989.

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by sections 8 and 9 of the Meteorology Act No. 4 of 1989 I hereby make the following Order :-

AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 1 OF ORDER NO. 46 OF 1989

1. The Vanuatu Meteorological Services (Meteorological Charges) (Regulation) Order No. 46 of 1989 in this order referred to as the "principal Order" is amended by repealing regulation 1 and substituting the following regulation :-

"(1) In this Order unless the context otherwise requires :-

"Basic Aviation Support Services" means the preparation and transmission of routine and special weather observations, terminal aerodrome forecasts and warnings for airports within Vanuatu;

"Director" means the Director of Meteorological Services as defined by section 3 of the Meteorology Act No. 4 of 1989;

"Duly authorised officer" means an officer authorised by the Director to collect payment for charges for meteorological services;

"Enhanced Aviation Support Services" means the preparation and/or provision, on request, of specific meteorological forecasts and information, related to international destinations and en-route conditions;

"International Airport" means Bauerfield Airport at Port Vila, Pekoa Airport at Lugnaville or Burton Airport at Lenakel;

"Meteorological Charges" means those charges being levied in respect of Meteorological Services which include the taking and transmitting of weather observations, the provision of forecasts and warnings and any other information required by the aviation industry".

AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 2 OF THE PRINCIPAL ORDER

2. Regulation 2 of the principal Order is amended by repealing paragraph (1) and substituting the following paragraph :-

"(1) Unless otherwise exempted under this Order, aircraft enaged in international flights to and from the Republic of Vanuatu shall incur, in respect of each landing at an International Airport, the following charges specified below :

<u>WEIGHT</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT RECEIVING BASIC AVIATION SUPPORT SERVICES</u>	<u>AIRCRAFT RECEIVING ENHANCED AVIATION SUPPORT SERVICES</u>
Greater than 40 tonnes	VT 5000	VT 6000
Less than 40 tonnes	VT 2000	VT 3000."

AMENDMENT OF REGULATION 3 OF THE PRINCIPAL ORDER

3. Regulation 3 of the principal Order is amended in paragraph (1) by deleting the words "Director of Civil Aviation" and substituting the word "Director".

COMMENCEMENT

2. This Order shall come into force on the day of its publication in the Gazette.

MADE at Port Vila this 11th day of March 1991.

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Transport, and Ports and Marine**

