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**From: Permanent Secretary for Economy**  
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**Subject: Merger of the Strategic Planning Office with the Expenditure Management Unit - Budget Division**

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## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

- 1.1 This circular serves to inform Ministries and Departments regarding the merger of the Strategic Planning Office with the Expenditure Management Unit – Budget Division after the completion of a reorganisation exercise by the Ministry.
- 1.2 The new unit is known as Budget and Planning under the newly created Economic Development Division situated at Level 9, Ro Lalabalavu House, Suva.
- 1.3 The Unit is headed by Mr Isoa Talemaibua and supported by four sectoral Managers. The Managers contact details is as follows:
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## **2.0 FUNCTION**

- 2.1 The unit will continue with its mandated role to coordinate, prepare, facilitate and monitor the Government Budget.

2.2 In addition, it will also responsible to monitor the Key Performance Indicators outlined in the new National Development Plan.

### 3.0 CONTACT

3.1 Ministries and Departments are encouraged to contact their respective desk officers to seek clarifications on issues pertaining to planning and budget.

3.2 Should there be any queries, please contact Mr Isoa Talemaibua (Head of Budget and Planning) through email [italemaibua@economy.gov.fj](mailto:italemaibua@economy.gov.fj) or telephone 3307011 ext 382036.



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