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AUSPAC Service – Return of NPDL Tahiti and phase-in schedule

Dear Valued Customer,

We are pleased to announce the return of the NPDL Tahiti to our AUSPAC service, following the completion of her maintenance works. She is now ready to resume serving the Australia and Pacific Island communities.

The NPDL Tahiti will replace the Capitaine Tupaia, which temporarily joined the AUSPAC service and will now return to the NZPAC service. To facilitate this smooth transition, the phase-in process will be as follows:

- Capitaine Tupaia 2618N will perform a northbound rotation to Suva and discharge any onboard cargo for Australia and Vanuatu (Port Vila and Santo) in Lautoka, before rejoining the NZPAC service.
- NPDL Tahiti 2618S will phase into AUSPAC in Suva on 26 August and perform a shortened southbound rotation of Suva – Lautoka – Port Vila – Sydney. She will pick up all Port Vila cargo discharged by the Capitaine Tupaia 2618N in Lautoka, plus all exports from Fiji to Port Vila and Australia.
- We are making alternative arrangements for cargo bound for Santo and will communicate the finalised details to impacted customers directly.

The updated voyage schedules will be reflected in our next schedule publications and are as follows:

Vessel Voyage (ETA)	SYD	MEL	BNE	NOU	LTK	SUV	SAN	VLI
Capitaine Tupaia 2618N	15-Aug	17-Aug	21-Aug	25-Aug	28-Aug	29-Aug	Phase-out of AUSPAC	
NPDL Tahiti 2618S	Phase-in to AUSPAC				28-Aug	26-Aug	OMIT	3-Sep
Takutai Chief 2619	26-Aug	29-Aug	2-Sep	8-Sep	12-Sep	13-Sep	-	17-Sep
NPDL Tahiti 2620	09-Sep	12-Sep	16-Sep	22-Sep	26-Sep	27-Sep	01-Oct	02-Oct

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We recognise that the adjustments to our NZPAC and AUSPAC services have resulted in schedule and cargo disruption over the recent months. Throughout this period, we have worked to keep customers continually informed as our schedules have evolved and appreciate your continued support and understanding as we transition back to our regular rotations.

Should you have any further questions or queries, please contact your dedicated Neptune Pacific representative.

Sincerely,

Neptune Pacific

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