



Emergency Message for U.S. Citizens: Tuvalu (Fiji) Water Shortage

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U.S. Embassy Suva released the following Emergency Message on September 30, 2011: The U.S. Embassy in Suva, Fiji, alerts U.S. citizens residing and traveling in Tuvalu that the Governor-General of Tuvalu has proclaimed a state of emergency as of September 28, 2011, as a result of a nationwide water shortage.

U.S. citizens in Tuvalu are advised to monitor local announcements for any changes and take extra care in conserving personal water supplies.

The U.S. Embassy in Suva will continue to monitor the water shortage and will issue updated messages as necessary.

For the latest security information, U.S. citizens living and traveling abroad should regularly monitor the Department's Bureau of Consular Affairs Internet web site at <http://travel.state.gov>, where the current Worldwide Caution, Travel Alerts, Travel Warnings, and health-information resources can be found. Up-to-date information on security can also be obtained by calling 1-888-407-4747 toll free in the U.S. and Canada or, for callers in other areas by calling a regular toll line at 1-202-501-4444. These numbers are available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays).