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Covid 19 Update

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An year after the first border closures and lockdowns, Fiji is again hit by the second wave of the COVID 19. This has resulted in government immediate containment protocols such as lockdown of high risk areas, curfews and restricted travel out of containment areas, including the Suva – Nausori corridor.

FTV is regarded as an essential services under the media industry and is currently operational under restricted protocols. We have identified key roles within our television broadcast operations that needs to be protected and this involves having a Plan B, should we have an infection within the building at any given time. This allows us to group our key employees into groups A and B, and they have to take alternate turns coming to work, as we only have a limit of less than 20 staff at any given time.

Due to this crisis, the decrease in economic activity has resulted in a substantial decrease in the forecasted sales for FTV financial year ending on 30th June 2021.

During this challenging phase, FTV is ensuring to deliver first hand reliable news to its viewers on all its media platforms. We have also produced COVID Safety video as a community messaging service from Fiji TV to the viewers with the importance of creating awareness on how community should respond.

FTV is positive that through the extensive work by Ministry of Health in containing the virus, roll out of vaccination and creating awareness programs they will bring the country back to normal at the earliest.

FTV wishes that everyone stay safe and follow the guidelines provided by the MOH.

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