

Connectivity in the Pacific



Travel to Mauritius

- Rarotonga – Auckland 4hrs
 - 6hr layover
 - Auckland – Dubai 17hrs
 - 5hr Layover
 - Dubai – Mauritius 6.5hrs
 - Total 38hrs travel no rest
- Rarotonga – Auckland 4hrs
 - 6hr layover
 - Auckland – Perth 7hrs
 - Overnight in Perth
 - Perth – Mauritius 8hrs
 - Total 25hrs travel with overnight rest



Developing Tourism develops Societies

- Investment in infrastructure for sustainable tourism supports our communities

Air access

- Micro and small states rely on other national carriers
- Low cost carrier model puts pressure on routes to be high yield
- National reinvestment in airline access is occurring





Maritime access

- Technical development in shipping is in larger vessels
- Pressure put on ports to upgrade
- Small and Micro states are serviced by old vessels
- Interisland services are often sub-standard

Digital Connectivity

- Significant progress towards connectivity with development partner investment driving cable infrastructure
- Outlying islands still remain unconnected – this is the next challenge for nations to address



