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O1 PREFACE

Increased tourism is the catalyst to growing handicraft sales in Vanuatu, however wariness and uncertainty by tourists and vendors as to whether the handicrafts are compliant with quarantine and Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES) can greatly impede sales.

This guide aims to assist vendors to identify items of potential CITES and quarantine concern to Australia and New Zealand that might be associated with handicrafts sold in Vanuatu.

Vendors using this guide will be able to advise prospective buyers as to whether the handicraft items they wish to purchase are CITES and quarantine compliant.

Vendors should advise buyers to declare all handicrafts when they arrive in Australia or New Zealand.

The images appearing in this guide are examples of handicrafts commonly available in Vanuatu, and the accompanying text is intended to assist vendors make an assessment of the status of handicraft component materials in terms of the quarantine and CITES requirements of Australia and New Zealand. It is anticipated that this improved ability to assess component materials will provide vendors with increased confidence during sales of these handicrafts.

02INTRODUCTION

The Republic of Vanuatu is an archipelago of 83 islands that is located around 1,750 km east of Australia, 500 km north-east of New Caledonia, west of Fiji and south of the Solomon Islands. It forms part of the Pacific region called Melanesia.

Vanuatu is blessed with natural beauty of coastlines, rivers and mountains. From its dazzling clear waters and lush forests areas, to the vibrant colours experienced whilst walking guaranteed to brighten your journey through the market places or in village areas, there is so much to see and experience in Vanuatu.

Based on the census of 2009, Vanuatu has an estimated population of 257,000 people. The people of Vanuatu are predominantly of Melanesian descent and are known as *Ni-Vanuatu* (meaning of-Vanuatu). With 110 indigenous languages, Vanuatu has the highest language density per capita in the world, while there are three recognised national languages spoken (Bislama, English, and French).

As with many Pacific countries, Vanuatu's traditions and culture are inherited from generation to generation through "kastom" expressed via song, dance, art and various types of handicrafts.

These handicrafts serve both practical and cultural purposes across Vanuatu and, with the growth in of tourism in Vanuatu in recent years, have become a source of income for some of its people. For visitors to Vanuatu, handicrafts provide an opportunity to engage in a cultural experience and to purchase mementos to take back to their home countries for themselves or as gifts for family and friends.

Common handicraft items available for sale in Vanuatu include woven items (mats and bags), wooden carvings, and small items such as jewellery.

Woven Items

Mats

Mats are woven by women throughout Vanuatu using leaves of the pandanus tree. Select mature leaves from the pandanus tree are stripped of thorns, boiled in water and dried in the sun before the leaves are split and worked into tight intricately woven mats of various designs and size. Mats may be further decorated by use of dyes. Mats are used for floor coverings, and have cultural significance as gifts. The red dyed mats from PENAMA Province are highly valued and are used as currency which feature in ritual contexts for ceremonies of marriage, death, or achievement of rank.

Bags & Baskets

Bags and baskets are woven from pandanus leaves, coconut fronds, canes, and other plant fibres. Woven bags can be seen in every-day use throughout Vanuatu as purses or clutches, shoulder bags and shopping bags. Bag and basket weaving is conducted throughout the country, but the design, patterns and material used differs from island to island, in some cases this may have been influenced by past migration. The island of Futuna in the Southern province of TAFEA produces a finer style of weaving similar to some Polynesian countries. In islands in the Northern province of TORBA, cane weaving of baskets is very similar to the *Buka* baskets produced in Solomon Islands and Bougainville (PNG).



Wooden articles - Carvings

Wooden carvings are produced in different islands with their own distinct style. An iconic item is the carved tamtam drum of the island of Ambrym. These totem pole-like drums are carved and sold only by artisans who have the recognised customary rights. They are carved from a single log with a hollow slit drum to provide sound. The number of stylised faces carved on the face of the drum symbolizes the level of status that one possesses within the Ambrym community. Smaller representations of the tamtam are now carved and made available for general sale.

Other wooden carvings have evolved to reflect the artistic expression of the artists and reflect their culture and beliefs. Popular carvings include animal figures such as pigs, canoes, war clubs, and figurines of ancestral gods.

Jewellery - Boar's tusks

A wide range of jewellery are produced made from sea shells, coconut husks, and woven items . An iconic item for Vanuatu is a curled boar's tusk, representing wealth and status. Traditionally used as a form of currency, the tusk features on national symbols such as the flag. It is now quite fashionable to wear a polished pig's tusk adorned with gold or pearls as a pendant, wrist or arm bracelet .



QUARANTINE

Countries maintain quarantine measures to prevent the introduction and spread of pests and diseases that could devastate their agricultural industries and environments. These quarantine measures can take many forms, including further processing and treatment, to render them safe. Some products however present such a high risk of spreading pests and diseases that they are not allowed entry into a given country.

Australia and New Zealand, like Vanuatu, have quarantine measures in place to prevent the entry and spread of pests and diseases. Passengers arriving into Australia and New Zealand must declare food, animal and plant products (including handicrafts made of these materials) and have these products inspected by a Quarantine Officer on arrival. If quarantine concerns are found during this inspection, the importer may be offered the option to treat the item, or alternatively, the item can be re-exported or destroyed. Where

no quarantine concerns are detected the Quarantine Officer will release the product following the inspection.

As pest and disease status within countries may change over time, and ongoing assessments of the risk posed by certain commodities are reviewed, quarantine requirements also change from time to time. While every effort has been made to ensure the information contained herein is up-to-date, the reader will need to review the quarantine requirements of Australia and New Zealand from time-to-time to ensure this information is current.

Please note the quarantine requirements in this guide are for non-commercial consignments (Australian quarantine requirements) or private consignments (New Zealand quarantine requirements) i.e. for tourists buying handicrafts. The quarantine requirements for commercial consignments in many cases are different to non-commercial or private consignments.

O4 CITES

CITES is an international agreement between governments (Vanuatu is a party to this convention). Its aim is to ensure that international trade in specimens of wild animals and plants does not threaten their survival.

While many traded wildlife species are not endangered, the existence of an agreement to ensure the sustainability of the trade is important in order to safeguard these resources for the future.

CITES works by subjecting international trade in specimens of selected species to certain controls. All exports of species covered by the Convention have to be authorised through a licensing system administered by the exporting country (the Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation in Vanuatu).

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STORAGE PESTS IN HANDICRAFTS & TREATMENT METHODS

Vanuatu has a warm and humid climate that favours insect development and this can be a problem when handicrafts are stored prior to sale.

The detection of live insects on handicrafts by quarantine authorities when a tourist returns to Australia or New Zealand will result in either treatment, destruction or re-export of the item. As the cost of treatment is usually more expensive than the purchase price of the item, tourists will usually choose to have the handicraft destroyed. Not surprisingly, this outcome is not favourable as the tourist loses the handicraft they purchased and it is unlikely they will purchase further handicrafts if they return to Vanuatu. Additionally, the tourist will likely tell family and friends of the incident.

Vendors can help prevent the occurrence of live insects being detected on handicrafts by quarantine authorities when tourists return to Australia or New Zealand by applying simple treatments, as outlined below.

TREATMENT METHODS 1

Handicrafts, particularly woven items, should be shaken over a clean white surface (piece of paper or sheet) to dislodge any contaminating items such as soil, seeds and any insects, before the item can be placed in a large plastic bag (e.g. garbage bag) and treated with a short spray of insecticide from a pressure pack (e.g. Mortein™ Insecticide) applied to kill any storage pests (see Figure 1). The bag should then be tied at the opening to prevent the insecticide from escaping and left for 24 hours before opening the bag and removing the handicrafts (see Figure 2).

Note it may be best to perform a trial to ensure the insecticide being used does not damage the item.

TREATMENT METHODS 2

Handicrafts should be checked that they are free of borer holes or crevices that may harbor or hide insects, before they can be placed in a sealed plastic bag in a domestic or commercial freezer (usually operating at -18 degrees Celsius) for 24hrs to kill storage pests.

Note it may be best to perform a trial to ensure freezing does not damage the item.



Figure 1 - Handicraft placed in a large plastic bag (e.g. garbage bag) and a short spray of insecticide from a pressure pack (e.g. Mortein™ Insecticide) is applied to kill any storage pests.



Figure 2 - The bag is tied at the opening to prevent the insecticide from escaping and left for 24 hours before opening the bag and removing the handicrafts.

06 INSPECTION METHODS

Australia or New Zealand quarantine authorities will inspect most handicraft items to ensure they meet certain quarantine requirements. To ensure the handicraft item that you are selling is free from storage pests, you should perform an inspection using the same technique as that used by the quarantine authorities.

To perform the inspection you will need a clean white surface (piece of paper or sheet) and adequate light to see the insects if they are present. Adequate light means either a light source from a florescent light or natural sunlight. If the lighting is inadequate, you will not see the insects. Your inspection is best performed prior to displaying the item rather than at the time of sale.

Wooden carvings – Using the light source, inspect for live insects, bark, seeds, soil, animal debris and other contamination. The wooden carving should be free of borer holes and crevices that may hide or conceal live insects or seeds. The presence of small holes and sawdust associated with the wood carving generally means live borers (wood boring insects) are present (see Figure 3). Bark, seeds, soil and other contamination must be removed before sale. If live insects are found or suspected due to the presence of sawdust, the item should be treated by one of the treatment methods listed.

Woven items such as mats, fans, baskets - Holding the woven item 10cm above the white surface, sharply tap with your hand or shake the item to dislodge any insects onto the white surface. If live insects are found, the item should be treated by one of the treatment methods listed.

Shells and feathers - Using the light source, inspect for live insects and other contamination. Feathers can be held above a white surface and sharply tapped to dislodge any insects. Feathers must be clean and free of skin and integument. Shells should not have any odour.



Figure 3 - Carving showing small holes and sawdust generally means live borers (wood boring insects) are present. These items should not be sold because the presence of borer holes will make it difficult to inspect on arrival in Australia or New Zealand. As a result, these items will be held for further observation as the Quarantine Inspectors are not able to confirm if the item is free of live insects. Treatment may be required if live insects are found.

O7INTERPRETATION OF SYMBOLS

The following information is provided to assist the vendor interpret the symbols used within this guide. This information should be used in combination with the appendices to make an assessment of the suitability of handicraft component materials in terms of the quarantine requirements of Australia and New Zealand.



Item will be returned after inspection by Department of Agriculture and Water Resources (Australia)/Ministry of Primary Industries (New Zealand) staff if it is found to not pose a pest or disease risk and meets the requirements specified in the appendices to this manual. If a risk is identified, you may have the option to pay for the item to be treated and returned to you; pay to have the item reexported; or have the item destroyed by the Department of Agriculture and Water Resources/Ministry of Primary Industries.



Item will be detained after inspection by Department of Agriculture and Water Resources (Australia)/Ministry of Primary Industries (New Zealand) staff. Depending on the risk identified you may have the option to pay for the item to be treated and returned to you; pay to have the item re-exported; or have the item destroyed by the Department of Agriculture and Water Resources/Ministry of Primary Industries.





08WOVEN ITEMS

INDIGENOUS

NON-INDIGENOUS



- 1. Pandanus body
- 2. Bamboo handle
- 3. Coconut reinforcing

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. Bambusa spp.
- 3. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure fan is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping fan with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirements:

✓ No CITES impediments

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 3, 5 & 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22, & 24 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Fan

Material/Composition:

- 1. Pandanus body
- 2. Bamboo handle

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. Bambusa spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure fan is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping fan with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 3 & 5 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22 & 24 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Fan

Material/Composition:

- 1. Coconut fronds
- 2. Dyed domestic fowl feathers

Scientific Name:

- 1. Cocos nucifera
- 2. Gallus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure fan is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping fan with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 & 8 in Appendix 1

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 22, 24 & 28. in Appendix 2. Feathers will require treatment



- 1. Pandanus body
- 2. Bamboo handle
- 3. Coconut reinforcing

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. Bambusa spp.
- 3. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure fan is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping fan with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 3, 5 & 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22 & 24 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Fan

Material/Composition:

1. Coconut fronds

Scientific Name:

1. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure fan is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 7 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure mat is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand and shaking above clean surface and check for insects. Also carefully check fine strands for any contamination.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 25 in Appendix 2.



Bag

Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bag is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix
 2.





Item Name:

Bag

Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bag is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure mat is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

√ No CITES impediments

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 25 in Appendix 2





Picture & Frame

Material/Composition:

- 1. Pandanus frame
- 2. Cloth

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. N/A

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure frame is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 25 in Appendix
 2.

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Item Name:

Bowl

Material/Composition:

- 1. Pandanus body
- 2. Coconut reinforcing

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bowl is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 5 & 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Hat

Material/Composition:

1. Hibiscus

Scientific Name:

1. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure hat is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 6 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 26 in Appendix 2.



Hat

Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure hat is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix
 2.



Item Name:

Plain Grass Skirt

Material/Composition:

1. Hibiscus

Scientific Name:

1. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure brush is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping brush with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 6 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 26 in Appendix2.





Item Name:

Place Mat

Material/Composition:

- 1. Pandanus weaving
- 2. Coconut reinforcing

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure mat is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping mat with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 5 & 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix 2.



Tray

Material/Composition:

- 1. Pandanus weaving
- 2. Coconut reinforcing

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure tray is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping tray with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 3, 5 & 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22 & 24 in Appendix 2.



Item Name: Bag

Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bag is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Hibiscus

Scientific Name:

1. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure skirt is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping skirt with hand above clean surface and check for insects

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 6 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 26 in Appendix 2.



Penama Custom Mat

Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure mat is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 25 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Necklace

Material/Composition:

1. Hibiscus

Scientific Name:

1. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure wreath is free of live insects. soil. seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 6 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 26 in Appendix



Item Name:

Wrap-around Mat

Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure mat is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 25 in Appendix



Dyed Grass Skirt

Material/Composition:

1. Hibiscus

Scientific Name:

1. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure skirt is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 6 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 26 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Basket

Material/Composition:

- 1. Coconut body
- 2. Climbing cane plant handle

Scientific Name:

- Cocos nucifera.
- 2. Flagellaria spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure basket is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix 2.





Item Name:

Novelty Bra

Material/Composition:

- 1. Pandanus
- 2. Hibiscus

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pandanus spp.
- 2. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bra is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix2.



1. Climbing Cane Pant

Scientific Name:

1. Flagellaria spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure basket is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix
 2.





Item Name:

Bracelet

Material/Composition:

1. Pandanus

Scientific Name:

1. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bracelet is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 5 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 24 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Head band

Material/Composition:

1. Green coconut leaf

Scientific Name:

1. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Tourist should be advised that the coconut leaves are green and will most likely be seized and destroyed or require treatment on arrival in Australia or New Zealand.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

Will require treatment by approved method or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

Will be destroyed or require re-export.



1. Coconut leaf

Scientific Name:

1. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Tourist should be advised that the coconut leaves are green and will most likely be seized and destroyed or require treatment on arrival in Australia or New Zealand.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

Will require treatment by approved method or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

will be destroyed or require re-export.



Material/Composition:

1. Hessian bag

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bag is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

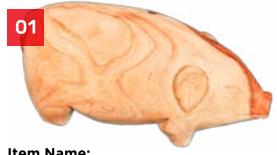
No specific requirement listed by authorities – declare on arrival for assessment.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

No specific requirement listed by authorities – declare on arrival for assessment.







Pig

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (Breadfruit tree)

Scientific Name:

1. Artocarpus altilis

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Turtle

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (Breadfruit tree)

Scientific Name:

1. Artocarpus altilis

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix



Item Name:

Tamtam

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (Wattle tree)

Scientific Name:

1. Acacia spirorbis

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Fruit Bat

Material/Composition:

- 1. Wood (Breadfruit tree)
- 2. Rope Hibiscus

Scientific Name:

- 1. Artocarpus altilis
- 2. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Ornate War Club

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (She-oak tree)

Scientific Name:

1. Casuarina equisetifolia

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Fish

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (Dragon Plum tree)

Scientific Name:

1. Dracontomelon vitiense

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



- 1. Lighter coloured wood (Hibiscus)
- 2. Darker coloured wood (Coconut)

Scientific Name:

- 1. Hibiscus tiliaceus
- 2. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix
 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Pig

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (Rosewood tree)

Scientific Name:

1. Pterocarpus indicus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

Item Name:

Spoon

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (Satinash)

Scientific Name:

1. Syzygium buettnerianum

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix
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New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

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Item Name:

War Club

Material/Composition:

1. Coconut wood

Scientific Name:

1. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix
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New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

Item Name:

Multi-faced Tamtam

Material/ Composition:

1. Kerosene wood

Scientific Name:

1. Cordia subcordata

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

Item Name:

Namange

Material/Composition:

1. Tree fern

Scientific Name:

1. Cyatheaceae spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure totum is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

CITES impediments apply.

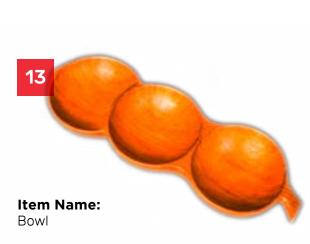
Check with Vanuatu Ministry of Lands
and Natural Resources.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

 Will likely require treatment by approved method, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

Will likely require treatment by approved method, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.



1. Bean tree

Scientific Name:

1. Castanospermum spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Item Name: Canoe

Material/Composition:

- Breadfruit tree wood for hull
- 2. Pandanus sail
- 3. Hibiscus struts
- 4. Bamboo struts

Scientific Name:

- 1. Artocarpus altilis
- 2. Pandanus spp.
- 3. Hibiscus tiliaceus
- 4. Bambusa spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix



Ladle

Material/Composition:

- Wood satinash handle
- 2. Coconut scoop

Scientific Name:

- 1. Syzygium buettnerianum
- 2. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix

Fork

Material/Composition:

1. Wood (Satinash)

Scientific Name:

1. Syzygium buettnerianum

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid using timber with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix



Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Scientific Name:

Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.





Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin. Most likely crafted in Solomon Islands

Scientific Name:

Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

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Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin.

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

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Item Name:

Bow and arrows

Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Shaker

Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes.

Potential guarantine issue as contents of shaker unknown.

CITES Requirement:

Unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

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Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.



Vendor Instruction:

Item Name: Figurine

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes. Sawdust like substance exiting from the item when tapped by hand is a good indication there are active borers in the wood.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 in Appendix 2.

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Item Name:

Ashtray & Pencil

Material/Composition:

1. Wood of unknown origin

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of bark and active borers and avoid selling wood items with borer holes.

Items will be seized, treated or destroyed due to bark.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

* Will require treatment, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

* Will require treatment, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.







Material/Composition:

1. Shell pieces

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure necklace is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Bracelet

Material/Composition:

1. Trochus shell

Scientific Name:

1. Trochus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure bracelet is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Carved Sago Palm seed

Scientific Name:

1. Metroxylon warburgii

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure pendent is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 18 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 39 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Necklace

Material/Composition:

1. Red lucky seed

Scientific Name:

1. Adenanthera pavonina

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/ or infestation by extraneous materials. Necklace will need to have legible label with genus and species.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 13 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 33 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Pendant

Material/Composition:

1. Carved Sago Palm seed

Scientific Name:

1. Metroxylon warburgii

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 18 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 39 in Appendix



Leucaena seed

Scientific Name:

1. Leucaena leucocephala

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/ or infestation by extraneous materials. Seed will need to have legible label with genus and species.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

Will require Import Permit, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 37 in Appendix 2.





Material/ Composition:

1. Two seed necklace

Scientific Name:

Item Name: Necklace

- 1. Hernandia nymphaeifolia (small round seed)
- 2. Entada phaseoloides (flat large seed)

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials. Necklace will need to have legible label with genus and species.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ Hernandia nymphaeifolia See Requirement 14 & 16

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 34 & 36 in Appendix 2.



- 1. Adenanthera pavonine (red seed)
- 2. Hernandia nymphaeifolia (small brown seed)

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials. Necklace will need to have legible label with genus and species.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ Hernandia nymphaeifolia See Requirement 13 & 16

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 33 & 36 in Appendix 2.



Scientific Name:

1. Family Cypraeidae

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

✓ CITES impediments for certain species.
Check with Vanuatu Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

- 1. Seed
- 2. Hibiscus cord

Scientific Name:

- 1. Pangium edule
- 2. Hibiscus tiliaceus

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials. Necklace will need to have legible label with genus and species.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 15 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 26 & 34 in Appendix 2.





11 SHELLS, TUSKS & FEATHERS

- INDIGENOUS
- NON-INDIGENOUS



Item Name:

Feather

Material/Composition:

1. Dyed domestic fowl feathers

Scientific Name:

1. *Gallus* spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure feathers are free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Will require treatment for New Zealand.

CITES Requirement:

 CITES impediments for certain bird species.

Check with Vanuatu Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 8 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 28 in Appendix 2.
 Will require treatment, re-export or be

Will require treatment, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

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Item Name:

Feather

Material/Composition:

1. Dyed domestic fowl feathers

Scientific Name:

1. Gallus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure feathers are free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

 CITES impediments for certain bird species.

Check with Vanuatu Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 8 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 28 in Appendix 2.
 Will require treatment, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

Item Name:

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Un-dyed domestic fowl feathers

Material/Composition:

1. Dyed domestic fowl feathers

Scientific Name:

1. *Gallus* spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure feathers are free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

CITES impediments for certain bird species.

Check with Vanuatu Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 8 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 28 in Appendix 2.
 Will require treatment, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.



Item Name:

Tusk

Material/Composition:

1. Pig tusk

Scientific Name:

1. Sus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediment

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 2 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 21 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Cowry shells

Scientific Name:

1. Family Cypraeidae

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

CITES impediments for certain species. Check with Vanuatu Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Clam shells

Scientific Name:

1. Class Bivalvia

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

CITES impediments for certain species. Check with Vanuatu Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.





1. Nautilus shell

Item Name:

Nautilus shell

Scientific Name:

1. Family Nautilidae

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

✓ CITES impediments for certain species. Check with Vanuatu Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.

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Item Name: Conch shells

Material/Composition:

1. Conch shells

Scientific Name:

1. Family Strombidae

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

✓ CITES impediments for certain species. Check with Vanuatu Department of Environmental Protection and Conservation.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.



Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 1 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 20 in Appendix 2.



Scientific Name:

1. Unknown

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure arrows are free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 & 8 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 28 in Appendix 2. Will require treatment, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.







Material/Composition:

- 1. Coconut shell
- 2. She-oak clip

Scientific Name:

- 1. Cocos nucifera
- 2. Casuarina equisetifolia

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure hair clip is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 4 & 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 23 & 27 in Appendix 2.



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2. Pandanus handle

Scientific Name:

- 1. Cocos nucifera.
- 2. Pandanus spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure container is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 27 in Appendix 2.





Material/Composition:

1. Bamboo

Scientific Name:

1. Bambusa spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure flute is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 3 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22 in Appendix 2.



Material/Composition:

1. Coconut

Scientific Name:

1. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure novelty bra is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check by tapping with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediments.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22 in Appendix 2.



1. Unknown origin, not assessed, likely bamboo

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure flute is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 3 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22 in Appendix 2.





Item Name:

Shaker

Material/Composition:

1. Unknown origin, not assessed, likely coconut and bamboo construction

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of active borers and avoid selling items with borer holes. Potential quarantine issue as contents of shaker unknown.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 3 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 22 & 27 in Appendix 2.

Item Name:

Back Scratcher

Material/Composition:

1. Unknown origin, not assessed, likely bamboo construction

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 3 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 22 in Appendix 2.

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Item Name:

Purse

Material/Composition:

1. Unknown origin, not assessed, likely coconut shell construction

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material. Check item by tapping frame with hand above clean surface and check for insects.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 7 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 27 in Appendix 2.





13 MISCELLANEOUS HANDICRAFTS

INDIGENOUS

NON-INDIGENOUS



Item Name: Namange

Material/Composition:

1. Clay

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure totum is free of quarantine risk material.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

No CITES impediment.



Item Name:

Soap

Material/Composition:

1. Not determined

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure soap is commercially manufactured or see quarantine requirements.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 9 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 29 in Appendix 2.





Item Name:

Coconut oil and vanilla bean

Material/Composition:

- 1. Coconut oil
- 2. Vanilla extract

Scientific Name:

- 1. Cocos nucifera
- 2. Vanilla spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Organic chemicals and substances must be highly purified and/or highly processed substances. Documents and/or products are subject to inspection to confirm the description of the goods.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 9 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 29 in Appendix 2.



Material/ Composition:

1. Tamanu oil

Item Name:

Tamanu oil

Scientific Name:

1. Calophyllum inophyllum

Vendor Instruction:

Organic chemicals and substances must be highly purified and/or highly processed substances. Documents and/or products are subject to inspection to confirm the description of the goods.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 10 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 30 in Appendix 2. 05



Item Name:

Coconut nectar

Material/Composition:

Coconut nectar

Scientific Name:

1. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Organic chemicals and substances must be highly purified and/or highly processed substances.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

 No specific requirement listed by authorities – declare on arrival for assessment.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

No specific requirement listed by authorities – declare on arrival for assessment. 06



Item Name:

Cocoa nibs

Material/Composition:

1. Cacao bean

Scientific Name:

1. Theobroma spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Ensure item is free of live insects, soil, seeds and other quarantine risk material.

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

See Requirement Number 19 in Appendix1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

 See Requirement Number 38 in Appendix 2.



Item Name: Pepper

Material/Composition:

1. Black pepper

Scientific Name:

1. Piper nigrum

Vendor Instruction:

The black pepper must be packed in clean, new packaging, clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species).

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 11 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 32 in Appendix 2.



Item Name:

Vanilla Beans

Material/Composition:

1. Vanilla Beans

Scientific Name:

1. Vanilla spp.

Vendor Instruction:

Cured vanilla beans must be dried, boiled or cured (not fresh) and free of live insects and other quarantine risk material.

CITES Requirement:

✓ No CITES impediment

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 12 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 31 in Appendix 2.

Item Name:

Virgin Coconut oil

Material/Composition:

1. Coconut oil

Scientific Name:

1. Cocos nucifera

Vendor Instruction:

Organic chemicals and substances must be highly purified and/ or highly processed substances. Documents and/or products are subject to inspection to confirm the description of the goods.

COCONUT OR

CITES Requirement:

No CITES impediment.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 10 in Appendix 1.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

✓ See Requirement Number 30 in Appendix 2.

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Item Name:

Album

Material/Composition:

1. Material of unknown origin

Scientific Name:

1. Not determined

Vendor Instruction:

Tourist should be advised that plant material in album is unidentifiable and will most likely be seized and destroyed or require treatment on arrival in Australia or New Zealand.

CITES Requirement:

Not assessed as composition unknown.

Australian Quarantine Requirement:

Will require treatment by approved method, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.

New Zealand Quarantine Requirement:

Will require treatment by approved method, re-export or be seized and destroyed on arrival.



APPENDIX 1 QUARANTINE REQUIREMENTS AUSTRALIA

HANDICRAFT		AUSTRALIAN QUARANTINE REQUIREMENT (NON COMMERCIAL)
Sea shells	1.	Whole sea shells must be inspected to ensure freedom from contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials. If contamination and/or infestation is found, the material will be treated by a Department of Agriculture and Water Resources (DAWR) approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Tusks	2.	Tusks must be free of contamination and/or infestation by extraneous materials. If contamination and/or infestation is found, the material will be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Bamboo articles	3.	Bamboo articles will be subject to an inspection to verify that it is not green or fresh and is free of live insects and other biosecurity risk material. If contamination and/or infestation is found, the material will be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Wooden articles	4.	Wooden articles will be subject to an inspection to verify that it is free from biosecurity risk material, such as live insects, bark, seeds, soil, animal debris and other contamination. If biosecurity risk materials are found on inspection the article will be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Pandanus weavings, coconut and <i>Flagellaria</i> spp. (climbing vine) weavings		Pandanus, coconut and climbing vine weavings will be subject to an inspection to verify that the fibre is thoroughly dried with a brittle feel. Articles must also be free of seeds, live insects, animal debris and other quarantine risk material. Weavings that are semi-dried and still pliable, even if they are no longer green, are subject to mandatory treatment by a DAWR approved method. If contamination and/or infestation is found, the material will be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Hibiscus weaving	6.	All hibiscus weavings must be labelled with full botanical names i.e. genus and species. Alternatively if the goods are easily identifiable, then there is no requirement for the botanical nomenclature. All weavings must be thoroughly dried and not capable of propagation. Each article will be subject to an inspection to verify that it is free of prohibited seeds, live insects, soil and other quarantine risk material. If biosecurity risk materials are found on inspection the article may be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Coconut shell and fibre products	7.	Coconut shell and coconut fibre products will be subject to an inspection to verify that they are free from coconut milk, coconut meat and free of live insects and other quarantine risk material. If contamination and/or infestation is found, the material will be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.

HANDICRAFT		AUSTRALIAN QUARANTINE REQUIREMENT (NON COMMERCIAL)
Feathers	8.	Feathers are subject to inspection on arrival to ensure the absence of animal tissue, soil, faeces, seeds and insect contamination. If contamination or animal tissue is found, the feathers must be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Soap	9.	Soap is to be commercially manufactured and packaged and is for the personal use of the person wishing to import the item; OR the soap contains less than 20% by mass of material of animal origin (eg. musk, civet or ambergris). For these purposes, lanolin is not considered to be material of animal origin; AND/OR the cosmetic contains manufactured plant powders, extracts and plant oils.
Organic chemicals and substances - e.g. Coconut oil, Tamanu oil	10	Organic chemicals and substances must be highly purified and/or highly processed substances. Documents and/or products are subject to inspection to confirm the description of the goods. It is the importer's responsibility to provide sufficient documentation (such as a declaration or certificates of analysis) to satisfy quarantine that the product is as stated. It is the importer's responsibility to satisfy quarantine officers of the origin of the product. If the importer is unable to do this, an Import Permit is required. Each consignment must be packed in clean, new packaging.
Black Pepper	11.	The black pepper must be packed in clean, new packaging, clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species). Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. If biosecurity risk materials are found on inspection the article will be treated by a DAWR approved method, as applicable to the type of contamination, or re-exported or destroyed.
Cured Vanilla Beans	12	• Cured vanilla beans will be subject to an inspection to verify that the beans are dried, boiled or cured (not fresh) and free of live insects and other quarantine risk material. If the vanilla beans do not meet the above conditions they will require treatment, re-exportation or destruction.
Necklace - Red Lucky Seed - Adenanthera pavonine	13	Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. Each necklace must be clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species) of the seed.
Necklace – Entada phaseoloides	14	. Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. Each necklace must be clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species) of the seed.
Necklace – Pangium edule	15	Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. Each necklace must be clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species) of the seed.
Necklace – Small brown seed -Hernandia nymphaeifolia	16	Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. Each necklace must be clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species) of the seed.

HANDICRAFT	AUSTRALIAN QUARANTINE REQUIREMENT (NON COMMERCIAL)
Necklace – Leucaena leucocephala	17. Requires an Import Permit. Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. Each necklace must be clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species) of the seed.
Pendent - <i>Metroxylon</i> warburgii	18. Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. Each pendent must be clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species) of the seed.
Cocoa nibs - Theobroma cacao	19. Cocoa nibs must be free of live insects, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. If the cocoa nibs do not meet the above conditions they will require treatment, re-exportation or destruction.

APPENDIX 2 QUARANTINE REQUIREMENTS NEW ZEALAND

HANDICRAFT	NEW ZEALAND QUARANTINE REQUIREMENT (PRIVATE)
Sea shells	20. Each sea shell will be subject to an inspection. Sea shells must be free of adherent, extraneous organic material, pest infestation, and evidence of decay. Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Tusks	21. Tusks will be subject to an inspection. Tusks must be mounted; or professionally cleaned and processed to a high standard of whiteness; or accompanied by a manufacturer's declaration verifying that they have been boiled at a minimum of 100°C for at least 30 minutes, and packaged immediately after treatment in a manner so as to ensure that there is no subsequent contamination with untreated goods of a similar nature. All tusks must be free of extraneous organic material, pest infestation, and evidence of decay on arrival. Tusks that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Bamboo articles	22. Bamboo will be inspected for evidence of pests, bark, or extraneous organic material (e.g. leaves, twigs, soil). Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Wooden articles	23. Wooden articles will be inspected for evidence of pests, bark, or extraneous organic material (e.g. leaves, twigs, soil). Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Pandanus weavings, coconut weavings and Flagellaria spp. (climbing vine) weavings – other than mats)	24. Each article will be subject to an inspection for evidence of pests, or extraneous organic material (e.g. leaves, twigs, seed, soil). Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Pandanus weavings (including fine mats made from pandanus) or tapa cloth.	25. A phytosanitary certificate issued by the exporting country is required. For non-compliant consignments, inspection (if possible) or fumigation will be required at the discretion of the Ministry of Primary Industries (MPI) Inspector. A phytosanitary certificate is not required for a single mat smaller than 2 square meters. However the item will be subject to an inspection for evidence of pests or extraneous organic material (e.g. leaves, twigs, seed, soil). Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Hibiscus weavings	26. Each article will be subject to an inspection for evidence of pests or extraneous organic material (e.g. leaves, twigs, seed, soil). Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Coconut shell	27. No certification or inspection requirements. Tourists are encouraged to declare coconut items, however.

HANDICRAFT	NEW ZEALAND QUARANTINE REQUIREMENT (PRIVATE)
Feathers	28. Feathers that are not dyed, clean and on a commercially manufactured product must be fumigated with 10% formalin (formaldehyde) for 8 hours before being given clearance.
Soap	29. Declare for inspection and assessment by MPI Inspector if the product has not been commercially processed. Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Organic chemicals and substances - e.g. Coconut oil, Tamanu oil	30. Declare for inspection and assessment by MPI Inspector if the product has not been commercially processed. Products that do not meet the requirements will be authorised for treatment, reshipment or destruction.
Vanilla Beans	31. Vanilla beans will be subject to an inspection and must be free of contamination of quarantine concern. If the vanilla beans do not meet the aforementioned conditions they will require treatment, re-exportation or destruction.
Black Pepper	32. Black pepper will be subject to an inspection and must be free of contamination of quarantine concern. If the black pepper does not meet the aforementioned conditions it will require treatment, re-exportation or destruction.
Necklace - Red Lucky Seed - Adenanthera pavonina	33. Necklaces with seed require either heat treatment OR Irradiation. NOTE: If seeds are drilled through the seed embryo, no treatment is required.
Necklace – Entada phaseoloides	34. Necklaces with seed require either heat treatment OR Irradiation. NOTE: If seeds are drilled through the seed embryo, no treatment is required.
Necklace – Pangium edule	35. Necklaces with seed require either heat treatment OR Irradiation. NOTE: If seeds are drilled through the seed embryo, no treatment is required.
Necklace – Small brown seed -Hernandia nymphaeifolia	36. Necklaces with seed require either heat treatment OR Irradiation. NOTE: If seeds are drilled through the seed embryo, no treatment is required.
Necklace – Leucaena leucocephala	37. Necklaces with seed require either heat treatment OR Irradiation. NOTE: If seeds are drilled through the seed embryo, no treatment is required.
Cocoa nibs - Theobroma cacao	38. Cocoa nibs must be free of live insects, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. If the cocoa nibs do not meet the above conditions they will require treatment, re-exportation or destruction.
Pendant - <i>Metroxylon</i> warburgii	39. Seed must be free of live insects, soil, disease symptoms, prohibited seeds, other plant material (e.g. leaf, stem material, fruit pulp, pod material, etc.), animal material (e.g. animal faeces, feathers, etc.) and any other extraneous contamination of quarantine concern. Each pendent must be clearly labelled with the full botanical name (i.e. genus and species).

