

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

In the 2020-2021 National Budget, the Fijian Government announced Private Sector Utility Assistance to spur construction and job creation by private sector investors. Under the initiative, government will subsidise utility-related development costs, namely EFL and WAF connections, for micro, small and medium enterprises.

A total budget of \$1.5 million has been allocated for this initiative for the 2020-2021 financial year.

PSUA will be made available based on the criteria stipulated below:

| Enterprise Type | Eligibility |
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| New or existing enterprises earning less than \$50,000 annually. | Government will subsidise 100% for EFL transformer cost (excluding internal wiring of premises and on-site property piping, regulatory fees, connection fees and consumer security deposit) and WAF connection (trenching cost). |
| New and existing small enterprises earning between \$50,000 and \$300,000 annually. | Government will subsidise 70% for EFL transformer cost (excluding internal wiring of premises and on-site property piping, regulatory fees, connection fees and consumer security deposit) and WAF connection (trenching cost). |
| New and existing medium enterprises earning between \$300,000 and \$1,250,000 annually. | Government will subsidise 50% for EFL transformer cost (excluding internal wiring of premises and on-site property piping, regulatory fees, connection fees and consumer security deposit) and WAF connection (trenching cost). |

In relation to the above, an applicant may only apply for a single project.

ADMINISTRATIVE CHECKLIST

The following documents **MUST** be submitted with a completed application form:

| Enterprise | Individuals |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Objective Plan; • Valid Company Registration; • FRCS and FNPF Compliance Letters; • Latest Audited Financial Statements for existing enterprise; • Declaration of Income; • Bank Statements; • Copy of necessary approvals for the project including approval from Department of Town and Country Planning; and • Engineering Plan (if applicable) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Objective Plan; • Business Registration; • Copy of a valid photo ID; • FRCS and FNPF Compliance Letters; • Land Title to confirm ownership; • Bank Statements; • Declaration of Income; • Copy of necessary approvals for the project including approval from Department of Town and Country Planning; and • Engineering Plan (if applicable) |



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**GOVERNMENT GRANT – PRIVATE SECTOR UTILITY ASSISTANCE
APPLICATION FORM**

| PERSONAL DETAILS | | | |
|---|-------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Full Name: | | Personal Tax Identification Number | |
| Residential Address: | | Mobile No.: | |
| Postal Address: | | Telephone No.: | |
| DOB: | | Photo ID: | |
| Fijian Citizen | Y / N | Email Address: | |
| | | | |
| BUSINESS DETAILS | | | |
| Individual/Enterprise Name: | | Individual/Enterprise Address: | |
| Individual/Enterprise TIN Number | | Business Registration Number: | |
| TECHNICAL COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENT | | | |
| a) Compliance to Energy Fiji Limited requirements as stipulated in Annex 1 of the PSUA Guidelines | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b) Compliance to Water Authority of Fiji requirements as stipulated in Annex 2 of the PSUA Guidelines | | | <input type="checkbox"/> |



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| DECLARATION | |
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| <p>I certify that the above information are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.</p> <p>I hereby give my authorisation to Energy Fiji Limited or Water Authority of Fiji or Ministry of Economy to access any required information attesting to my application.</p> <p>I understand that any false information provided may disqualify me from the grant assistance programme.</p> | |
| <p>..... Applicant Signature</p> | <p>...../...../..... Date</p> |
| CHECKLIST | |
| Enterprise | Individuals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Valid Company Registration | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Registration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax Compliance Certificate and Enterprise TIN Letter | <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of a Valid photo ID |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FNPf Compliance Certificate | <input type="checkbox"/> FRCS and FNPf Compliance Certificate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Declaration of Income | <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Bank Statements |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Objective Plan | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Objective Plan |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of necessary approvals for the project including approval from DTCP | <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of necessary approvals for the project including approval from DTCP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Land Title to confirm ownership | <input type="checkbox"/> Land Title to confirm ownership |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering Plan (if applicable) | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering Plan (if applicable) |
| OFFICIAL USE ONLY | |
| Receiving Officer | |
| Name: | Designation: |
| Office: | Location: |
| Signature: | Date Received: / / |
| Verifying Officer | |
| Name: | Designation: |
| Comments: | |



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| Signature: | Date: / / | | |
| DECISION | | | |
| Assessor | Comments: | | |
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