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### Yap’s Cargo Embargo Lifted

Continental’s cargo embargo has been lifted as of today, announces a bulletin transmitted from the Governor’s Office. The emailed bulletin mentioned that details of when actual receiving or sending of cargo out of Yap will take place will be forthcoming.

“We have finally accomplished a portion of what we set

out to do” writes Lt. Governor Tony Tareg in the notice.

According to Continental Micronesia’s Yap Station, an inspection had taken place on Wednesday – September 5, 2007 of the airport fuel facilities and jet fuel supply by Continental inspectors, ASIG (technical support to Yap Government on jet fuel), and members of the Yap

Jet Fuel Taskforce. Even though the government has sent out the bulletin, Continental’s Yap Station is awaiting the formal notice from their main office on the lifting of the embargo.

In previous coverage on the topic of embargo, Continental had assured the local government that once fuel is readily available the embargo on cargo would be lifted, as well as the flight schedules into Yap would be reinstated. According to Ms. Cara Thornton, Assistant Attorney General, Continental and the Yap State Government are working together on an aviation fuel supply agreement to be in place before Continental can uplift fuel from Yap. Once this is in place, Continental will be able to uplift fuel (purchase) from the Yap State Government and then other changes may be looked into such as the flight schedules.

Says Cara, “we hope to have this in place by next week.” ~



Yap International Airport jet fuel supply facilities repaired and ready to service