

Guideline on Hanifaru Access token or Fee

- A-** According to the Hanifaru Protection and Preservation Regulation (No.23-R/2012), prepared under Environment Protection and Preservation Act 4/94 all resorts, safari boats and tour operators sending tourists to Hanifaru Marine Protected Area shall pay the token fees prescribed by the regulation.
- B-** From the first of January 2012, permit for snorkeling in Hanifaru MPA shall be issued to persons purchasing Hanifaru token specified in part (b) “Hanifaru Entrance Fee (from May to November)” and (c) “Hanifaru Entrance Fee (from December to April)” of this regulation.

Purchasing of Hanifaru token

- ❖ Hanifaru Token will be available from Environmental Protection Agency and Baa Atoll Biosphere Reserve Office.

Use of Hanifaru Token

- i. The price for Hanifaru Token is US\$ 20.00 or its amount equivalent in Maldivian rufiyaa.
- ii. According to the Hanifaru Protection and Preservation Regulation, those parties who have paid the annual fees shall be subjected to pay half (1/2) the face value of the Hanifaru token fee (i.e US\$ 10.00).
- iii. Resorts, safari boats and tour operators who are interested in purchasing the Hanifaru token shall send a note one day prior to their visit to the contacts prescribed in Annex-i.
- iv. Interested parties shall send details of the No. of people, visiting date and time to the contacts prescribed in Annex-i.
- v. Each Hanifaru token can be used only once.

Annex-i.

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