



NOTICE ADVICE

To: Persons, Individuals, Companies and Industrial Firms.

MASS SURVEY ON STANDBY GENERATORS

Solomon Islands Electricity Authority (SIEA) trading as Solomon Power (SP) is the producer, distributor and the regulator of electricity in Solomon Islands.

As stipulated in Section 30 (1) of the Electricity Act; no person or organization shall use, operate/supply electricity unless under a license of which its terms expressly authorize such use or supply of electricity as the case may be. All power generators at or above **50kW** which have been or may be installed in future for standby purposes, must be licensed by the Authority respectively.

Solomon Power had earlier advised that all persons with new or existing standby generators that had not been licensed, were kindly advised to submit their applications with relevant details so to process and issue them licenses to operate and use the generators. A grace period was given from 2021 to July 2022 for applicants to submit their applications and be issued with a license accordingly.

Following the expiry of the grace period, Solomon Power will now commence to conduct a mass survey for all standby generators at all its existing networks (in Honiara and at the Provinces) starting on 1st September 2022. Hence, expect Solomon Power inspectors to visit your property/premise for the survey.

Section 42 (7), 46 (1) & (2) of the Electricity Act [Cap 128], clearly empowers the Authority's officers/inspectors to enter premises for work purposes.

Application for new and renewal of Generator license is still open. All generator users are kindly requested to comply with the Authority's requirement [sec. 30 (1)] and get licensed.

Any query can be directed to the Solomon Power, **Regulatory Department:**

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