



## NORFOLK AIR - MEDIA RELEASE

### **Norfolk Air Excess Baggage policy**

There has been a change to the excess baggage allowance for Norfolk Air passengers that will become effective from the 16 May 2007. This change will bring Norfolk Air back in to line with other airline baggage policies.

Norfolk Air passengers will be allowed 20 kilograms of checked baggage with a 3 kilogram buffer and any excess to this allowance will be charged back to 20 kilograms and a \$5.00 per kilogram charge will be applied.

Passengers will be able to carry 7 kilograms of baggage on to the aircraft as long as this hand baggage is within the normal size restriction of 105 linear centimetres. Check in staff at the airport will be able to assist and confirm that hand baggage is the correct size.

Some Norfolk Island retailers have expressed a concern that the new policy may discourage visitors from buying certain products on the island. To mitigate this concern Norfolk Air will let Norfolk Island based retail shops purchase from Norfolk Air, excess baggage waiver vouchers in 5 Kg. denominations, with a maximum of 2 vouchers per passenger permitted. These 5 Kilo vouchers will cost \$12.50 per voucher and are only valid ex Norfolk to mainland Australia and not in reverse. The purchase of these numbered vouchers is available through Norfolk Air's cargo division, Burnt Pine Travel Cargo.

Further information is available from Norfolk Air on + 6723 23787 or 22001 (ext 110) or by email to [norfolkair@admin.gov.nf](mailto:norfolkair@admin.gov.nf)

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