

Dear ,

For many years we have been the pioneers of air services to Ruaha. We have offered direct flights from Dar es Salaam, flights from Dar es Salaam via the Selous Game Reserve and flights from Ruaha via Dodoma and Tarangire to Arusha. We have used many types of aircraft to try to find the best fit solution.

Whilst we have been very successful linking Dar to Selous, Ruaha and back, we have been less successful linking Ruaha with the Northern Safari Circuit.

After much stakeholder consultation and many spreadsheets filled in modelling differing scenarios we are **delighted to announce a new series of flights that will commence operations on 1st June 2017.**

These flights will be **daily** and **operated by our 9 seat Pilatus PC12** (fast and pressurised) aircraft.

Flight CQ500 Depart Arusha 08:15 - Arrive "Migration Capital" 09:00
Flight CQ550 Depart "Migration Capital" 09:30 - Arrive Seronera 09:45
(Fuel stop and pax pickup)
Depart Seronera at 10:00 - Arrive Ruaha 11:30
Flight CQ560 Depart Ruaha 12:00 - Arrive Zanzibar 13:15
Depart Zanzibar 13:30 - Arrive Dar es Salaam 13:45
Flight CQ137 Depart Dar es Salaam 16:30 - Arrive Arusha 17:40

"Migration Capital" is Grumeti for June, Kogatende from 1 July to 30 November and Ndutu from 1 December to 15 March.

These flights will not operate from 16 March to 31 May each year.

This flight series will offer many benefits:

- **FAST** non-stop morning flights to Migration Capital
- **FAST** connections from Serengeti to Ruaha
- **FAST** direct connections to Zanzibar from Ruaha
- **FAST** connections to Selous from the Serengeti (plane change to Caravan in Ruaha). This is a saving of 4 hours over the current routing.
- **FAST** connections from Serengeti to Zanzibar (via Ruaha, but still faster and fewer stops than the Caravan).
- **FAST** evening flights from Dar es Salaam **DIRECT** to Arusha.

By increasing the efficiency of this operation, we are able to significantly reduce the cost of flights from the Serengeti to Ruaha (see pricing below). We will provide connections from Arusha and Lake Manyara to the Ruaha flight.

As a special incentive and to promote the amazing Ruaha National Park, we are offering a throughfare of USD 530 per person from Migration Capital or Seronera to Ruaha (Stopover minimum 2 nights) to Zanzibar or Dar es Salaam. **This fare is available for all bookings made from today until 30 April 2017 and is valid for travel from 1st June onwards.**

Other Prices:

Migration Capital or Seronera to Ruaha - \$420 per person
Ruaha to Zanzibar - \$420 per person
Ruaha to Dar es Salaam \$420 per person
Migration Capital or Seronera to Selous - \$700 per person
Dar es Salaam to Arusha, as published.

The current flight series CQ511, 512, 513 and 514 will be discontinued on 15 March 2017. Agents that have made bookings on these flights will be contacted to discuss alternative arrangements.

After much discussion with our trade stakeholders, we have decided to rebrand all PC12 flights from First Class to **FAST Class** this best depicts the nature of the flight. **The Fast Class flights offer fast, more direct** (many fewer stops) **and smoother flights in Pilatus PC12 Aircraft.** Whilst FAST class is not available from and to all destinations, it is our intention to increase these services in the future.

Thank you for your support.

Kind Regards,

The Coastal Flying Safari Team.

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