



BANK OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA

PUBLIC NOTICE

DO NOT ACCEPT ANY PAPER BANKNOTES

The public is reminded again that banknotes (K2, K5, K10, K20, K50 and K100) made from PAPER ceased to be legal tender on 30th June 2012. Any PAPER BANKNOTES do not have value anymore, and should not be accepted and used.

The Bank is aware that there are PAPER BANKNOTES in the hands of some people attempting to exchange them for polymer banknotes. There are attempts also to sell these paper banknotes in exchange for other foreign currencies (e.g. American dollars and online services such as e-bay). The public is strongly advised not to accept them as they are no longer legal tender, and are of no use in Papua New Guinea.

The public is advised to look out for various security features as detailed on the K50 and K100 posters before accepting them. If any of these security features do not appear on the banknotes given to you,

DO NOT ACCEPT IT. "BE ALERT AND DON'T BE FOOLED BY ACCEPTING ANY PAPER BANKNOTES".

All queries regarding this notice should be addressed to Mr. David Lakatani, Manager - Currency Department on telephone number: 3227343 or email: dlakatani@bankpng.gov.pg.



Security Features

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|  1. Complex Clear Window Complex clear window incorporating a vignette of Bank of Papua New Guinea logo. |  5. Offset Complex background security patterns in multiple rainbow print. |  9. Signatures Black signatures of the Governor and the Secretary, Department of Treasury fluoresce yellow/green under ultra violet light. |
|  2. Shadow Image Shadow image of the Bank of Papua New Guinea logo, which is visible when raised to the light. |  6. Intaglio Multi-colour raised keyline printing of main design elements on the front and back of the banknote. |  10. ICE Feature The Bird of Paradise is printed with a red intaglio ink on a highly reflective gold background. The contrast is enhanced when the banknote is tilted. |
|  3. G-Switch™ Feature G-Switch™ is a dynamic optical feature that changes colour when the banknote is tilted under a light source. |  7. Iridescent Feature Bird of Paradise in full flight on the back provides a colour change when the banknote is tilted. |  11. DOE™ Feature Image of "PG50" is visible when viewing through the window towards a point light source. |
|  4. Emboss The numeral '50' is embossed in the secondary clear window. |  8. Serial Number Black serial number fluoresces yellow/green under ultra violet light. |  12. 35th Anniversary Overprint Special overprint design to commemorate the 35th independence anniversary of Papua New Guinea. |

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**Loi M Bakani, CMG
Governor**