

# EziSend easy remittance

National Bank of Samoa launches a quick and easy way to receive your remittances, available anytime.

The graphic features the EziSend logo at the top, with a stylized illustration of people on a globe. Below the illustration, the text reads: "A quick and easy way to transfer money to Samoa!". A list of benefits follows: "Funds transferred from an Unity Credit Union to a National Bank of Samoa", "Money received within 30 minutes", "Special \$8 introductory fee", "Send funds online or through your local Unity branch", and "Quick and easy!". At the bottom, it states "In partnership with Unity Credit Union National Bank of Samoa" and includes the nbs logo with the tagline "we are samoa". A call to action at the bottom left says "Call 26766 for more information".

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Terms and Conditions apply  
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Auckland, New Zealand - Monday 10 June – Aotearoa Credit Union, New Zealand’s most trusted credit union, together with nbs, the National Bank of Samoa, has today released a new digital banking solution that enables a quick and easy transaction for sending remittances from New Zealand to Samoa through a new money transfer service – EziSend®, with aims to better support Samoan families and the broader Samoan communities with fast access to their personal finances.

Money sent to Samoa by family members in New Zealand is very important both culturally and valuable source of funds for everyday living and investments for many Samoans. Traditionally the bulk of money sent to Samoa from New Zealand via money transfer companies which can be slow and costly. Aotearoa Credit Union (ACU) has now partnered with nbs to offer a superior means to transfer money from New Zealand to Samoa.

“Our partnership with nbs marks a new milestone towards greater financial inclusivity and economic growth in Samoa by providing NZ based community members with access to a wider range of secure and convenient money transfer services to support their relatives overseas,” states CEO of ACU. “The launch of the new remittance service to Samoa will not only offer a new payment service that were previously out of reach, but will be the cheapest way of transferring funds to a bank account in Samoa.”

The new ACU and nbs remittance service, EziSend®, will see remittances received by family and friends in Samoa in real time, within one hour, and importantly to be the cheapest product of its type in the market. The transaction fee is only NZD\$8.00 per transaction and the money is automatically converted to Samoan Tala. The Sender based in NZ has the option of either going into an ACU branch or sending the money on-line, if they are signed up to the ACU online banking. “nbs is excited to partner with ACU on developing a quick and easy alternative for people based in New Zealand to send money back to Samoa,” said Russell Poppelton, Acting CEO of nbs. “Our customers have been asking for an alternative to send their money internationally, with the safety and security of a bank transfer, so we’re pleased to be able to launch this new service and support our customer needs. nbs has a commitment to our customers and to the people of Samoa to provide our local community with the ability to access appropriate financial services at the cheapest rate.”

Russell Poppelton added: "The remittances get paid direct into their nominated nbs bank account. If the customer is set up on nbs’ EziBank and Internet Banking services, then they can use these apps to find out when the remittance has arrived. They can also manage what they do with their remittances via the EziBank and Internet Banking services."

nbs customers can also withdraw the remittances into cash at either annbs branch or ATM, or withdraw via Digicel or Vodafone agents.

nbs’ new remittance product has the support of the Central Bank of Samoa and meets all the regulatory requirements both in New Zealand and Samoa. Terms and conditions apply.

For more information about EziSend® either contact nbs at one of our branches or call our team on +685 28103.