

## Fast Ferry Service Begins

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**Kingstown, ST. Vincent:** Offering a lower cost alternative to flying to the Grenadines has now become a reality, as the new fast ferry service started today.

The journey time will be cut compared with the conventional ferry, taking just 20 minutes to Bequia, 50 minutes to Canouan and 75 minutes to Union Island from Kingstown.

The 150 foot vessel has been equipped with all the modern technology and comforts, including air conditioned cabin, designed only for passengers carriage and not cargo, making loading and unloading times quicker at the various ports.

Plans are to expand the service in the near future to Grenada via Carriacou, offering daily service all the way between St. Vincent and Grenada.

### **Fast Ferry Departure Schedule (please check in advance as schedule subject to change)**

<b>Route (Daily)</b>	<b>Departure Time</b>	<b>Price (E. C. Dollars)</b>
Bequia - Kingstown	8 am	\$30
Kingstown - Bequia	9 am	\$30
Bequia - Canouan	9:45 am	\$45
Canouan – Union Island	10:45 am	\$30
Union Island - Canouan	2 pm	\$30
Canouan - Bequia	2:45 pm	\$45
Bequia - Kingstown	4 pm	\$30
Kingstown - Bequia	5:30 pm	\$30

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