

This is the first time for Vanuatu to be represented at the Fine Foods Festival by three exporters from Vanuatu.

Our job is to help link them with potential niche markets in Australia. "What is happening is very good for Vanuatu," said

Pelam. The Export Services Manager said another part of

their mission is to also meet with relevant Government Ministries and private sector

organisations to provide an update on the work of PT&I in collaboration with the

challenges they should consider when developing their export strategy."

Digicel expands LTE network to Santo

DIGICEL VANUATU YESTERDAY announced the launch of its world class LTE network on Santo, bringing superior Internet services that will allow users to surf, stream and download at very high speeds. Digicel Vanuatu CEO, Yaser Maher, said that since the launch of Digicel in Vanuatu, the company has invested continually in the network to ensure that it offers the best services and exceptional customer experience for the people of Vanuatu.

"The launch of LTE strengthens Digicel position as the number 1 mobile operator and the technology leader in the country.

"We have once again shown our commitment for evolution by being the first mobile operator to bring LTE in Vanuatu and we are now bringing LTE to Santo.

"We are really proud to deliver this technology

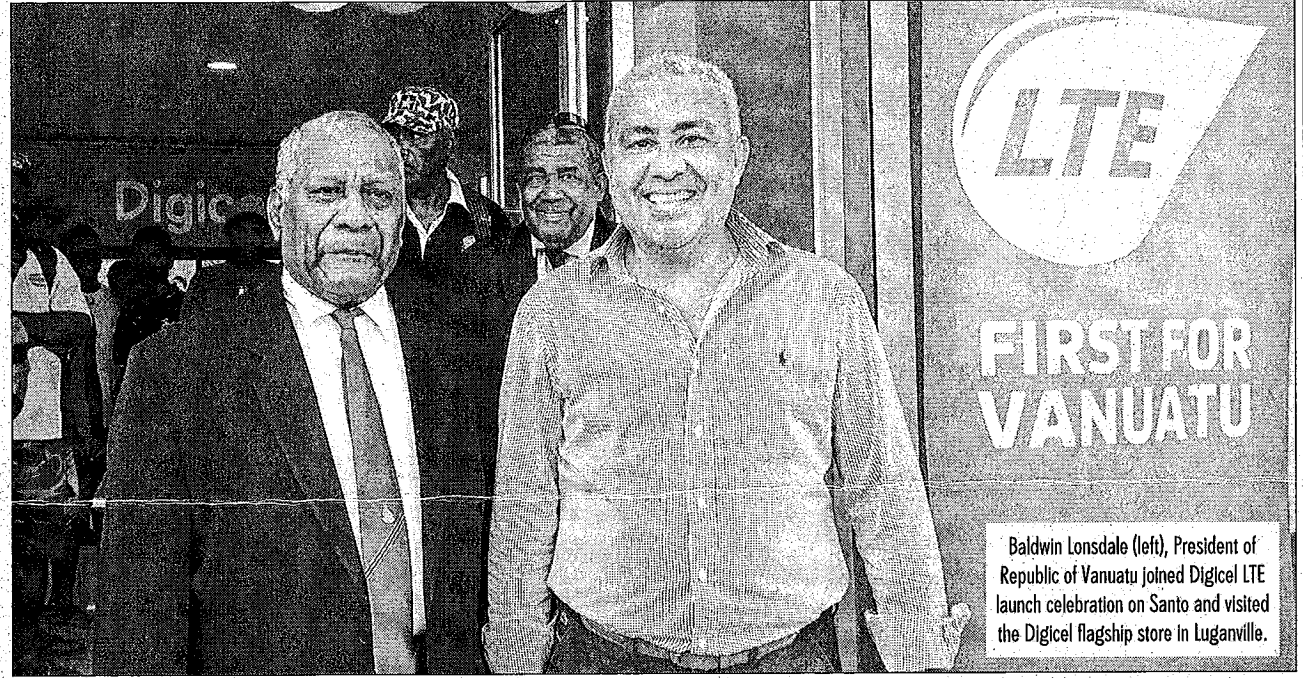
to our customers and our communities – they deserve the best," added Mr Maher.

For Digicel mobile phone customers, LTE means an outstanding Internet experience on the go, with much faster uploads and downloads, non-stop streaming, use of sophisticated mobile apps and lightning fast social networking.

For home and business users, Digicel says it has also launched innovative and affordable LTE broadband services that will help improve efficiencies.

So far in Vanuatu, Digicel says it has LTE coverage in the greater Port Vila area and in Luganville CBD, with more areas soon to follow.

To experience LTE, the telecommunication company says customers will need to have a LTE capable device, a LTE SIM card and be in the LTE coverage area.



Baldwin Lonsdale (left), President of Republic of Vanuatu joined Digicel LTE launch celebration on Santo and visited the Digicel flagship store in Luganville.

"Customers can check if they have LTE by visiting a Digicel store, or by calling Customer Care on 123.

"For those with LTE capable phones but requiring a new

SIM, Digicel will provide free SIM replacements with free 1GB of data so customers can start enjoying LTE. Customers also get to keep their old number on the new sim.

"Digicel also has some incredible deals on LTE smartphones. The Alcatel Pixi 3 4.5" smartphone is for only Vt8,900 for a limited time.

"All prepaid handsets come

with the unbeatable free data bundle offer for 3 months, so that customers can get online and experience the speeds of LTE," the company announced through a statement.