



**MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TOURISM
TOURISM DEPARTMENT**

Please address all correspondence to the Principal Secretary

Monday 25th March 2024

Re: Cancellation of Seychelles Nature Trail 2024 Edition

Dear Partners.

Warm greetings from the Seychelles.

I regret to inform you of our decision to cancel this year's edition of the Seychelles Nature Trail. This decision was reached after careful consideration of various factors, foremost among them being the recent changes in airline dynamics that have made it less conducive for participants from Reunion to attend.

The Seychelles Nature Trail is a cherished event, bringing together nature enthusiasts and athletes from various regions to celebrate the beauty of Seychelles' landscapes. However, with the current challenges posed by air travel arrangements, particularly for participants from Reunion, we believe it is in the best interest of all stakeholders to postpone the event until circumstances are more favorable.

While we understand that this news may come as a disappointment, please rest assured that we are fully committed to staging the Seychelles Nature Trail in 2025. We are actively working to address the logistical issues that have led to the cancellation of this year's edition, and we are confident that we will be able to deliver an exceptional event next year.

For the athletes who were already registered, please note that this cancellation is a postponement, and we sincerely hope to see you on our trail in 2025. Your enthusiasm and dedication to the Seychelles Nature Trail are greatly appreciated, and we look forward to welcoming you next year.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere gratitude to everyone who has collaborated in the preparation of the event.

Our heartfelt thanks go out to the technical team, ILOP Sports, and all the local partners in Seychelles, including NSC, SPGA, Absa Bank Seychelles, Cable and wireless and Constance Ephelia hotel.

Your dedication, support, and hard work have been invaluable, and we truly appreciate everything you have done to make the Seychelles Nature Trail possible.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and appreciate your understanding and continued support. Please do not hesitate to reach out to us if you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Thank you for your understanding.

Yours Sincerely,

Bernadette Willemin(Mrs)
Director General for Destination Marketing Division