



# JETSTAR FLIGHT MAKES EMERGENCY LANDING

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**A Jetstar flight carrying 309 people bound for the Gold Coast has been forced to land on the Pacific island of Guam due to safety concerns.**

**Flight JQ12 from Narita, Japan, was diverted to Guam on Sunday after the aircraft displayed an indicator message relating to oil pressure, Jetstar said in a statement.**

**The pilot turned off one engine after seeing the oil pressure message.**

**Boeing 787s can fly safely on one engine, Jetstar said.**

The Australian Transport Safety Bureau says it's gathering more information on the unplanned landing but is yet to decide if it will investigate.

The discount airline stressed it was a 'priority' landing, not an 'emergency' landing.

'(This) relates to the urgency with which a flight would have to land, including how the local air traffic control responds,' a spokeswoman said.

'In this case the landing was precautionary, it wasn't an emergency.'

At least one disgruntled passenger vented on social media.

Teagan Lowe tweeted 'Get your s together JetstarAirways ... we have been stranded in Guam for 10 hours w/no updates. What's going on?!?'

Jetstar said alternative travel arrangements are being made for passengers who will arrive on the Gold Coast on Monday morning.

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