



THANDA ISLAND

PRIVATE MARINE RESERVE



Twin Engine Airbus EC155B Helicopter

Luxury transfers in a class of their own

The Twin Engine Airbus EC155B helicopter represents the pinnacle of modern aerial transport. With ample legroom and an on-board fridge stocked with champagne and cold beverages, guests are assured a smooth, luxury journey from take-off to landing. The helicopter is dedicated solely to Thanda Island guests.

Key Specifications

- Twin Engine Airbus EC155B Helicopter
- 8-seater guest capacity
- 140 knots cruising speed
- Five main rotor blades for enhanced stabilisation and comfort
- Fenestron tail rotor for reduced noise and vibration
- Air-conditioned interior

Safety & Support

- A full-time pilot and engineer based on the island ensure that the helicopter is always in pristine condition and available.
- The helicopter meets global travel insurance criteria for ultra-high-network travellers.
- Each passenger is provided with a life jacket, and every flight is continuously monitored via live satellite tracking.

Flight Times

With close proximity to Dar es Salaam, Mafia Island and Zanzibar for off-island excursions, guests can easily enjoy a lunch in historical Stone Town, explore the UNESCO Kilwa site, scuba dive the magnificent Chole Bay, or experience a Big 5 Safari in the Serengeti.

Direct flight times from Thanda Island are as follows:

- Dar es Salaam International Airport = 25 min
- Mafia Island = 12 min
- Zanzibar = 48 min
- Sea Cliff = 36 min