

NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FORUM

18 – 20 October, 2016 Holiday Inn Port Moresby

Theme: Showcasing Achievements: Government fulfilling Development Aspirations & Improving Service Delivery through Strategic Partnerships

DAY ONE TUESDAY 18th OCTOBER, 2016

TIME	ACTIVITY
8:00 – 8:50	REGISTRATION
SESSION 1	CHAIRPERSON: Sir Brown Bai, Chairman Rural Industries Council
8:50 – 9:00	• Opening Prayer (United Church)
9:00 – 9:15	• National Anthem and Pledge: Eki Vaki Primary School, NCD
9:15 – 9:20	• Welcome & Purpose of Forum: Ms Wallis Yakam-Executive Officer, CIMC
9:20 – 9:45	Opening Address: • Hon. Charles Abel, MP Minister for National Planning & Monitoring
9:45 – 10:15	Key Note Address • Hon. Peter O'Neill, MP Prime Minister for PNG (TBC)
10:15 – 10:30	MORNING TEA
SESSION 2	CHAIRPERSON: Mr David Toua, President PNG Business Council
	Sub Theme: Economic Updates and accountability reforms for improved service delivery through sustained partnerships
10:30 – 10:45	• Mr Dairi Vele, Secretary, Treasury Department Update on the economic reality of PNG
10:45 – 11:00	• Mr Loi Bakani, Governor Bank of PNG – Medium to long term prospects and outlook for the PNG economy
11:00 – 11:15	• Ms Hakaua Harry Secretary, Department of National Planning & Monitoring- StaRS and development embracing the paradigm shift
11:15 – 11:35	Discussions and Recommendations
11:35 – 12:35	LUNCH
SESSION 3	CHAIRPERSON: Chey Scovell, CEO PNG Manufacturer's Council of PNG
	Sub Theme: Transport & Infrastructure Sector: Initiatives achieved through partnerships and plans for going forward
12:35 – 12:50	• Mr Roy Mumu, Secretary, Department of Transport
12:50 – 1:05	• Mr Ponege Poya, CEO - National Roads Authority
1:05 – 1:20	• Mr John Bromley, CEO – Rural Airstrips Agency
1:20 – 1:35	Discussions and Recommendations
SESSION 4	CHAIRPERSON: Mr Graham Ainui, Executive Officer, Rural Industries Council
	Sub Theme: Agriculture Sector performance through partnerships for sustained economic development
1:35 – 1:50	• Dr Vele Pat Ila'ava, Secretary Department of Agriculture and Livestock – Embracing the StaRS & paradigm shift, plans in agriculture going forward
1:50 – 2:05	• Mr Warren Dutton, North Fly Rubber- PPP and investment in agriculture
2:05 – 2:20	• Mr Potaisa Hombunaka – PPAP- outcomes, issues and the way forward
2:20 – 2:35	Discussions and Recommendations
2:35 – 3:00	AFTERNOON TEA
SESSION 5	CHAIRPERSON: Paul Barker, Executive Director-INA
	Sub Theme: Government commitment to equitable Land Reforms for inclusive development & efficient service delivery
3:00 – 3:15	• Mr Luther Sipison, Secretary, Department of Lands - Revised National Lands Act and its harmonisation with ILGs
3:15 – 3:30	• Dr Charles Yala, Director NRI – on Land Development Program including land reforms and recommendations
3:30 – 3:45	• Mr Lester Seri, Customary landowner views on Government land reforms, partnerships and the way forward
3:45 – 4:30	Discussions and Recommendations prescriptively

DAY TWO WEDNESDAY 19th OCTOBER, 2016

TIME ACTIVITY

8:00 – 8:50 REGISTRATION

SESSION 1 CHAIRPERSON: Rodney Hilton, Minister Counsellor Governance-Australian High Commission

Sub Theme: **Improving Governance & Service Delivery through community empowerment and engagement**

8:50 – 9:05 • Mr Dickson Guina, Acting Secretary DPLLG – DDAs Implementation outcomes, issues and partnerships going forward

9:05 – 9:20 • Mr Trevor Tararu, CEO Abau DDA – Citizen empowerment and district development through partnerships

9:20 – 9:35 • Mrs Elizabeth Avaisa, Senior Project officer - CIMC community governance/accountability initiatives through partnerships

9:35 – 9:50 • Mr Lucas Alkan, National Coordinator, National EITI Secretariat – Extractive sector governance through partnerships, outcomes and issues

9:50 – 10:05 Discussions and Recommendations

10:05 – 10:30 **MORNING TEA**

SESSION 2 CHAIRPERSON: Mr John Toguata – Anti-Corruption Practitioner

Sub Theme: **Empowering citizens to promote economic growth through partnerships**

10:30 – 10:45 • Ms Anna Solomon, Secretary Department for Community Development, Youth & Religion – The importance of Informal Economy.

10:45 – 11:00 • Mr Steven Maken, Acting Managing Director for the SME Corp – Experiences on implementation of the SME Policy & Master Plan

11:00 – 11:15 • Mr Tony Westaway, Managing Director, Nationwide Micro Bank – Citizen economic empowerment to promote development

11:15 – 11:30 Discussions and Recommendations

11:30 – 12:30 **LUNCH**

SESSION 3 CHAIRMAN: Mr Clarence Hoot, Managing Director, IPA

Sub Theme: **Partnership initiatives (PPP) with Government, the private sector and development partners to promote trade & economic growth**

12:30 – 12:45 • Mr John Andrias, Secretary Trade Commerce & Industry – partnerships to boost trade and economic growth

12:45 – 1:00 • Ambassador Amena Yauvoli, Director General MSG Secretariat on MSG free trade and private sector development strategy

1:00 – 1:15 • Mr Douveri Hena, Executive Director, PNG Business Council – Private Sector view on PPP and other initiatives and issues

1:15 – 1:30 Discussions and Recommendations

SESSION 4 CHAIRPERSON: Ms Priscilla Kare – Executive Director, PNG Education Advocacy Network

Sub Theme: **Multi sectoral approaches for improved health service delivery to meet preferred targets**

1:30 – 1:45 • Mr Pascoe Kase Secretary Department of Health – Health service delivery through partnerships: Outcomes and issues including plans for addressing the ageing health workforce.

1:45 – 2:00 • Professor Peter Siba, Director of PNGIMR - PNG date needs for sustainable development and service delivery

2:00 – 2:15 • Mr Maarten Vandereep, Country Director Marie Stopes- Government and private sector partnership initiatives to manage population growth embracing the StaRS

2:15 – 2:30 • Ms Kymberley Kepore, CEO, Oil Search Foundation health service delivery in Partnership with Government, outcomes and way forward

2:30 – 2:45 Discussions and Recommendations

2:45 – 3:00 **AFTERNOON TEA**

SESSION 5 CHAIRPERSON: Mrs Janet Sape - Executive Director of PNG Women in Business

Sub Theme: **Cross sectoral initiatives and approaches for inclusive development and women empowerment**

3:00 – 3:15 • Dr Lawrence Kalinoe, Secretary Department of Justice and Attorney General - Approaches to address Women & Gender related issues: Outcomes and the way forward

3:15 – 3:30 • Mr John Kali, Secretary Department of Personal Management on Gender Equity and Social Inclusion (GESI). Approaches taken; outcomes and way forward.

3:30 – 3:45 • Mr George Gigauri- IOM PNG Chief of Mission, view on initiatives and approaches by government to women empowerment and inclusive development through partnerships

SESSION 6 CHAIRPERSON: Wallis Yakam, Executive Officer CIMC

Sub Theme: **Plenary Session**

3:45 – 4:30 Group discussions and reporting back to forum convenors

DAY THREE THURSDAY 20th OCTOBER, 2016

**Theme: Creating employment opportunities through suitable policies, strategies & partnerships:
Current state of play**

TIME	ACTIVITY
8:00 – 8:45	REGISTRATION
SESSION 1	CHAIRPERSON: Richard Kuna, President CPA-PNG
8:45 – 9:00	Keynote address and opening: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minister for Labour & Industrial Relations, Hon. Benjamin PoPONAWA, MP • Mr Marcelo Minc, ADB Country Director – Approaches to accelerate job creation in PNG
9:00 – 9:15	
9:15 – 9:45	Discussions and Recommendations
9:45 – 10:15	MORNING TEA
SESSION 2	CHAIRPERSON: Mr Robert Nilkare – PNG Country Manager at NBPOL (Group)
Sub Theme:	Partnerships to provide skills transfer opportunities for equal participation and development
10:15 – 10:30	• Ms Mary Morola, Secretary, Department of Labour and Industrial Relations - decent employment through the national employment policy-the way forward
10:30 – 10:45	• Dr Carmen Voigt-Graf – Framework for a National Employment Policy: Stakeholder views
10:45 – 11:30	Panel discussions & Recommendations
Facilitator:	Allan Bird, Development Consultant
Panellists:	Mr Trevor Birney, former APTC Country Manager, Ms Florence Willie, Executive Director PNG Employers' Federation and Ms Barbra Thomas, Executive Director The Voice Inc.
SESSION 3	CHAIRMAN: Mr Allan Bird, Development Consultant
11:30 – 11:45	• Mr David Peate, CEO Paradise Foods - Private Sector contributions to employment creation and skills development
11:45 – 12:00	• Mr Tom Gilles, Project Manager Urban Youth Employment Project – Skills development and employment in partnership with development partners, issues and the way forward.
12:00 – 12:30	Discussions and Recommendations
12:30 – 1:30	LUNCH
SESSION 4	CHAIRPERSON: Mr Jerry Wemin – President PNG Human Resource Institute
Sub Theme:	Long and medium term national human development plans and programs
1:30 – 1:45	• Dr Uke Kombra, Secretary Department of Education – quantity vs quality, outcomes of implementing the TFF Policy and the way forward
1:45 – 2:00	• Prof. David Kavanamur Acting Secretary, Department of Higher Education- Embracing the effects of the TFF Policy at Higher Education and moving forward
2:00 – 2:15	• Dr Richard Curtain – Promoting skills formation through public investment projects
2:15 – 2:30	• Mr Craig Fergusson, Senior TVET Advisor - Developing human resource in partnership
2:30 – 2:45	Discussions and Recommendations vocabulary
2:45 – 3:00	AFTERNOON TEA
SESSION 5	CHAIRPERSON: Richard Samuel – ILO National Coordinator
Sub Theme:	“The Big Picture”: From information needs to productive outcomes promoting Employment and Development
3:00 – 3:15	• Dr Luke Jones, INA Labour Market Study – data needs, deficiencies and requirements for capacity building and fostering employment opportunities
3:15 – 3:30	• Mr Roy Trivedy UN Resident Coordinator - National Human Development Report Recommendations (Representative TBC).
3:30 – 4:00	Discussions and Recommendations