



**WORKSHOP ON THE ROLE AND PRIORITIES FOR DEVELOPMENT  
ASSISTANCE AND GOVERNMENT IN PNG**

**Date: Thursday-Friday 8-9th April 2010**

**Venue: Holiday Inn**

***Draft Programme:***

***Day 1 – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April***

**08.30 Registration**

**09.00 Introductory remarks – Paul Barker, Institute of National Affairs**

**Session 1: Government Service Functions and Performance**

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**Chairman: Mel Togolo, Nautilus Minerals and INA Council Member**

**Core Expenditure Responsibilities / Service Functions for which the  
Government has Principal Responsibility; at National and Sub-National  
Levels:**

**09.15 Key Note Address: Hon Dr Sir Puka Temu, MP, Deputy Prime Minister**

**Service Delivery Performance:**

- social, law and order, economic (including monetary and fiscal settings, agriculture, impediments to business and investment):-

**09.45 Social Indicators (including MDGs) and Standard of  
Infrastructure/Services: - Dr Betty Lovai or Dr Orovue Sepoi or Dr Thomas  
Webster or Martin Bakker (re. MDG review)**

<b>10.10 Coffee &amp; tea break</b>
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**Chair: Manasupe Zurenuoc, A/Chief Secretary and Secretary for Provincial and  
Local Level Government**

**10.30 State of Infrastructure and Services Needed by the Private Sector (large  
business to SMEs and Informal Economy): Brown Bai, Rural Industries  
Council or nominee, Business Council**

- 10.55 Cost of Service Delivery, Shortfall and fitting Budget allocations to meet the need: Nao Badu, Chairman, National Economic and Fiscal Commission (NEFC)**
- 11.20 Allocations, Leakage and Public Accountability: George Sullimann, Auditor General**
- 11.45 Sub-National, Cost of Services, Income and performance**  
– **Urban: Hon Powes Parkop, MP, Governor, National Capital District**

*12.10 Lunch*

**Chair: Dr Lawrence Kalinoe, Secretary for Justice and Attorney General**

- 13.10 (Sub-National Continued)**  
- **Provincial: Hon Sir Arnold Amet, MP, Governor, Madang Province**  
- **Rural – Hon Sam Basil, MP for Wau-Bulolo**
- 14.00 Public Investment Programme – Joseph Lelang, Secretary for National Planning and Rural Development (or Dty Secretary, Joe Demas)**
- 14.25 Right-sizing and institutional capacity (adapting institutions to fit the needs and available funding) - Prof David Kavanamur, UPNG - Business Studies**
- 14.50 Panel Discussion of speakers – taking questions and comments from the floor**

*15.15 Coffee & tea break*

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## **Session 2: Role of Development Partners and Development Assistance**

**Chair: Camillus Midire, PNG Sustainable Development Program Ltd**

- 15.35 Overview, Coordination, priorities for donor assistance, including modalities; best use of international/local technical assistance; capacity building vs operational support: Robert Igara, private businessman, former Chief Secretary and CEO, PNGSDP and first Director of Office of International Development Assistance (OIDA)**
- 15.55 Short and Longer Term Priorities for Development Assistance – Prof. Billy Manoka, UPNG - Economics Dept**

**16.20 How Papua New Guinea can best use Development Assistance; investing wisely for Sustainable Development to complement Government expenditure and lessons to be learnt and avoided – Dame Meg Taylor, Compliance Advisor/Ombudsman, IFC & MIGA**

*End of day 1*

*Day 2 – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> April*

**Session 2 (continues)**

**Chair: John Toguata**

**08.30 International best practice in application of Paris Accord, prioritisation of donor support, Budget and programme support and donor coordination and integration with Government funding – Ben Dickinson, Manager, Conflict and Governance Unit of the Policy Co-ordination Division of the OECD, Paris**

**09.00 Medium Term Priorities for Donor Assistance – Joseph Lelang, Secretary, Dept of National Planning and Monitoring**

**09.30 The Role of Development Assistance in Macro-Economic Management – Dr Anthony Yauieb, Deputy Sec, Dept of Treasury**

**09.55 Private Sector Perspective on the Role and Priorities for Donor Assistance –Gerea Aopi, Mel Togolo or Lady Winnie Kamit or Ernie Gangloff, Business Council of PNG or Paul Bluett, Davie Conn or Alan McClay Rabaul/Pom/Lae Chamber of Commerce and Industry**

<i>10.20 coffee and tea break</i>
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**Chair: Col Reginald Renagi**

**10.40 Civil Society (including churches etc) Perspective on the Role and Priorities for Donor Assistance –**

- **Social Sector - Ume Wainetti, Family and Sexual Violence Action Committee and Agnes Siune or Naomi Yupae, Family Voice**
- **Human Rights and environment – Effrey Dademo or Sangion Tiu (RCF)**
- **Law and order - Peace Melanesia or Kup Women for Peace**
- **Health Sector**

**11.40 Education, Social Sector and Governance-Fr Jan Czuba, President, divine Word University**

<i>12.05 Lunch</i>
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**Chair: Winifred Kiap**

**13.05 Development Partners' Perspective (and Development Cooperation Reviews) on priorities for Development Assistance, coordination and SWAPS, Budget support, and compliance with Paris (and Port Moresby) Accords**

**– Australia– Stephanie Copus-Campbell, Counsellor Minister, AusAID**

- **Australian Development Cooperation Review – Dr Stephen Howes or Dr Eric Kwa**
- **European Union – HE Aldo Del’Arriccia**, Ambassador and Head of Delegation
- **World Bank Group – Laura Bailey**, Country Manager
- **ADB – Charles Andrews**, Country Director

<i>14.45 coffee and tea</i>
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Chair: Prov David Kavanmur

**15.05 Development Partners’ Perspective (continued)**

- **UNDP - David McLachlan-Karr**, Resident representative
- **China – HE Wei Ruixing**, Chinese Ambassador
- **Japan – Nesaki Shun?**, JICA
- **New Zealand – Tessa Tamata**, Country Manager, NZAid

**16.25 Coordination of Development Assistance and Working with the Private Sector and other Non-Government Partners (including the role of Public Private Partnerships and the Role of PNG Sustainable Development Programme Ltd) - Prof. Ross Garnaut**, Chairman, PNGSDP

**16.50 Donor Coordination – Joe Turia**, Foreign Aid Management, Dept of National Planning and Monitoring

**17.10 Panel Discussion of speakers – taking questions and comments from the floor**

**17.40 Wrap up and Concluding Comments – Dr Ila Temu**, Barrick Gold Ltd

**18.00 Ends**