Papua New Guinea APEC 2018

Purpose: Information
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PNG will host APEC 2018 after Prime Minister Peter O’Neil secured this undertaking, “against all odds” in Bali, Indonesia during the AELM.

This will be PNG’s first time to host APEC.

Preparation for APEC will provide massive capacity building exercise never seen before in our history and will not be seen again for a long time.
APEC Telecommunications WG Meeting – 1990s
ABAC WG Meeting – 1990s
Energy WG Meeting – 2002
IPO Workshop – 1997
Amb. Ivan Pomaleu appointed Senior Official – 2012
Mr. Clarence Hoot appointed IEG co-Convenor – 2013
Dr. Billy Manoka Chair of FoTC on CPLG – 2014
Mr. Frederick Tamara & Ms. Ingrid Kuman – Secondee’s to the APEC Secretariat, Singapore - 2015

Strategic Plan to guide stakeholder agencies and departments to successfully stage APEC meetings between now and 2018.
Approved by Cabinet on 6 August 2013 in its Decision No: 266/2013 and includes the establishment of the National Organizing Committee for APEC PNG 2018 (NOC-2018) that is chaired by the Prime Minister;
Establishment of the PNG APEC Coordination Authority – Appointed Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Christopher Hawkins.
PNG PREPARES FOR APEC 2018

PNG WELCOMES APEC TOURISM MINISTERS TO PAPUA NEW GUINEA ‘the land of a million different journeys” 2018 FOR THE 10th APEC TOURISM MINISTERS MEETING
A thousand different tribes
A thousand different dances
A thousand different tribes
A thousand different adventures, and
800 different languages!