

CIRCULAR

FILE: AP 6/5/6/1 **TO:** SPREP National Focal Points & PacWaste Focal Points
DATE: 18 November 2014 CROP Organisations
CIRCULAR: 14/96 SPREP Partner Organisations

SUBJECT: Minutes of the 2nd PacWaste Steering Committee Meeting held on 1st October, 2014 in Majuro, Republic of the Marshall Islands

Dear Members,

Re: 2nd PacWaste Steering Committee Meeting Minutes

It is with great pleasure that I release the final Minutes for the 2nd PacWaste Annual Steering Committee Meeting, which was successfully held in Majuro, Republic of the Marshall Islands on 1st October 2014.

The PacWaste Project is a four-year, €7.85m initiative funded by the European Union and implemented by SPREP, with a focus on improved management of asbestos, E-waste and healthcare waste in up to 14 Pacific island countries and Timor Leste.

The Minutes attached to this circular also includes the 2nd Year Workplan and Budget. The Minutes record the country members and other delegates present at the meeting, country comments on the 1st year operation of the PacWaste project and 2nd year planned activities and budget, as well as the response from SPREP and the EU.

I would like to thank all participants who were in attendance for their contribution to a valuable discussion on what has been achieved so far in the PacWaste project, and their help ensuring we have viable processes to ensure this success continues into the next stage of the project.

Yours sincerely,



David Haynes
Officer-In-Charge

Attachments;

- (1) PacWaste 2nd Year Annual Steering Committee Meeting Minutes
- (2) PacWaste 2nd Year Work Programme and Budget