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Twenty Sixth SPREP Meeting of Officials

Apia, Samoa 22nd – 24th September 2015

Agenda Item 9.2: Report of the Eighth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention to Ban the Importation into Forum Island Countries of Hazardous and Radioactive Wastes and to Control the Transboundary Movement and the Management of Hazardous Wastes within the South Pacific Region (the Waigani Convention)

Purpose

1. To represent the report of the 8th Conference of the Parties to the Waigani convention.

Background

- 2. The 8th Conference of the Parties will meet on 18th September 2015, immediately before the 2015 SPREP Meeting. In line with normal and agreed practice, the report of this Conference will be prepared immediately following the closure of this meeting and will be tabled for the information of the 2015 SPREP Meeting.
- 3. For information, the report of the Seventh Meeting of the parties in 2014 can be accessed on the SPREP website: www.sprep.org.

Recommendations

- 4. The Meeting will be invited to:
 - > **note** the Report of the Conference of the Parties to the Waigani Convention.

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