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Subject: Introducing Ms. Sili'a Kilepoa Ualesi, Project Manager – Pacific Islands Greenhouse Gas Abatement through Renewable Energy Project (PM-PIGGAREP).

SPREP is pleased to announce the appointment of Ms. Sili'a Kilepoa Ualesi to the position of Project Manager – Pacific Islands Greenhouse Gas Abatement through Renewable Energy Project (PM-PIGGAREP). Ms. Ualesi is a Samoan national and she joins SPREP from the Ministry of Finance (MOF), Samoa, where she has been working as the Energy Coordinator for more than 10 years and also as Research Officer in the Energy and Economic Policy and Planning Section. Ms Ualesi holds a Masters of Business Administration from the University of the South Pacific in Fiji and a Bachelor of Commerce from the University of Wollongong in Australia. She started official duties on Monday 13 June 2011.

The PM-PIGGAREP through SPREP's Pacific Futures Programme will be responsible for leading the mitigation activities of the climate change programme and specifically in managing the implementation of the PIGGAREP, promoting low carbon developments and strengthening the capacity of SPREP in CDM, and Greenhouse Gas (GHG) inventory and Monitoring.

We welcome Ms. Ualesi to SPREP and look forward to a timely implementation of PIGGAREP and relevant support and services to the region with her arrival.

Yours sincerely,

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