

## **Tenth meeting of the Waigani Convention**

**Tenth 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 (Waigani Convention)**

Apia, Samoa  
30 August 2019

### **Agenda item 4.1: Presentation of Reports by the Secretariat of work undertaken since COP-9**

#### **Purpose**

1. To present the Reports of work undertaken by the Secretariat since the Ninth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties, 2017 comprising:
  - (i) the Report of the Seventh Meeting of the Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee (Attachment 1);
  - (ii) the Report of the Sixth Meeting of the Steering Committee of the Pacific Regional Center for Training and Technology Transfer for the joint implementation of the Basel and Waigani Conventions (Attachment 2); and
  - (iii) Project related activities (Attachment 3).

#### **Background**

2. 4. Progress in implementation of the Convention since the Ninth Conference of the Parties in Apia, Samoa in September 2017 has been undertaken at both regional and national levels including special meetings under the Convention, and a number of project related activities (refer Attachments 1-3).

#### **Recommendation**

3. The Meeting is invited to:
    1. **note** the work undertaken since the Ninth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties
    2. **endorse and ratify** the STAC-7 Report (Attachment 1) and the SCPRC-6 Report (Attachment 2); and
    3. **note** the activity report (Attachment 3).
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