



Thirteenth Meeting of the Waigani Convention
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Thirteenth 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)

Agenda Item 7.1 : Report on the 10th Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee Meeting 2025

Purpose of paper:

1. To present the report on the 10th Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee (STAC) Meeting held on 13 to 14 March 2025 in Rarotonga, Cook Islands.

Background:

2. The 10th STAC discussed matters related to the Work Programme for the biennium 2023 to 2025. These included strategic issues, scientific and technical matters, legal governance, national reporting, electronic approaches to notification and movement documents, capacity building and international cooperation.

Recommendations:

3. The Parties are invited:
 - 1) **Endorse** and **approve** the 10th STAC Meeting Report.
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