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SUBJECT: STAFF APPOINTMENT:

SPREP is pleased to announce the following appointment:

- **Dr. Martin Sharp, Project Manager GCCA+ Intra ACP Pacific Adaptation To Climate Change And Resilience**



Dr. Martin Sharp, an Australian national, has been appointed to the position of Project Manager, GCCA+ Intra ACP Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change and Resilience (PACRES) Project within the Climate Change Resilience (CCR) Programme. Martin holds a PhD from the Australia National University (ANU) and a Bachelor of Arts (Honours) from the University of New South Wales, Australia. He brings with him extensive project management experience in Australia and across the Pacific including leading roles in the Pacific Climate Change Sciences Programme (PCCSP), Pacific Adaptation Strategy Assistance Programme (PASAP) and the Pacific-Australia Climate Change Science and

Adaptation Planning Programme (PACCSAP). Martin has also held senior leadership roles in a number of Australian Government departments. He joins SPREP from Providence Consulting Group where he has been the Senior Business Analyst for the past two years. Martin started in his new role on Tuesday, 8 January 2019.

The Intra-ACP Global Climate Change Alliance Plus (GCCA+) Programme focuses on climate change, resilience and the environment and is funded from the 11th European Development Fund (EDF11). SPREP is the lead organisation on the Pacific ACP (P-ACP) Action "Climate Change in the Pacific ACP" which was developed to facilitate the implementation of the Pacific regional component of this Programme. The programme will be implemented jointly by SPREP, SPC, PIFS and USP.

We congratulate Martin on his appointment and we look forward to this position increasing and strengthening relevant support and services to the region.

Yours sincerely,

Roger Cornforth
Acting Director General