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SUBJECT: Nomination of Pacific Biodiversity Youth focal points

Dear SPREP Members,

The Secretariat wishes to inform all Member Countries of the outcomes adopted under **Agenda Item 9.2.1: Pacific Chapter of the Global Youth Biodiversity Network (GYBN)** during the recent 32nd SPREP Meeting on 2-4 September 2025 in Apia, Samoa.

The Meeting:

 Agreed to nominate national youth focal points to engage actively with the GYBN Pacific Chapter and facilitate coordination of youth-led biodiversity actions at national and regional levels.

Member Countries are therefore invited to:

- Identify and nominate national youth focal points for engagement with the GYBN Pacific Chapter.
- Communicate nominated focal point details to the Secretariat by 14 December,2025.

The Secretariat will continue to liaise with the GYBN Pacific Chapter to provide updates on the development of the Regional Youth Engagement Strategy and related activities. For further information or to submit focal point details, please contact: claireo@sprep.org

Attachments:

- 1. Endorsed outcome for Agenda Item 9.2.1: Pacific Chapter of the Global Youth Biodiversity Network (GYBN) extracted from the 32nd SPREP Meeting of Officials Outcomes Meeting Report.
- 2. GYBN Pacific Briefing document.

Yours sincerely,

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