

## **CIRCULAR**

FILE: SPM 28/2 TO: SPREP National Focal Points

**DATE:** 21 August 2025 CROP Organisations

CIRCULAR: 25/78 SPREP Partner Organisations

SUBJECT: Update: Thirty Second SPREP Meeting (32SM) and Associated Meetings

Dear Members and Partners,

Further to Circular 25/66, please be reminded that the Environment Minister's Meeting and High-Level Talanoa that was to be held on Friday the 5<sup>th</sup> of September at the Sheraton Aggie Grey's hotel & Bungalows in Apia, Samoa is now cancelled. I wish to reiterate that this decision was not taken lightly and was made on the request and in consultation with the Government of Samoa who have their national elections on 29 August 2025.

The 32<sup>nd</sup> SPREP Meeting and Associated meetings will proceed in person with the following revised schedule:

- 1. Second SPREP Partnership Dialogue Monday, 1 September 2025
- 2. 32SM meeting of Officials Tuesday-Thursday, 2-4 September 2025
- 3. Noumea and Waigani Conventions 5 September 2025

The 32SM Working Papers, COP Meeting Papers and other important information are available on the SPREP Website and can be accessed on <a href="https://www.sprep.org/32nd-sprep-meeting-2025">https://www.sprep.org/32nd-sprep-meeting-2025</a>.

As the meeting is fast approaching, kindly reminding those Members and Partners who have not yet submitted their nominations to the 32SM and associated meetings to do so at your earliest convenience. This will help with logistics and the online registration process.

Please contact the following Secretariat staff if you have any queries:

- On logistics of the 32<sup>nd</sup> SPREP Meeting, please contact Maraea S. Pogi on email: <u>maraeap@sprep.org</u>, and Apiseta Eti on email: <u>apiseta@sprep.org</u>
- On the Second SPREP Partnership Dialogue contact Ms. Salome Tukuafu salomet@sprep.org.
- On matters relating to the Noumea and Waigani Conventions COP Meetings, contact Ms. Kathleen Taituave-Afereti <a href="mailto:kathleent@sprep.org">kathleent@sprep.org</a>.

For overall substantive matters concerning the 32SM and associated meetings, contact Ms. Easter Chu Shing, Deputy Director General <a href="mailto:easterc@sprep.org">easterc@sprep.org</a>

I look forward to seeing you soon in Apia.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

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