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Dear Members,

The Secretariat is pleased to inform you of the amended dates for the upcoming **5th Clean Pacific Roundtable (CPRT)**, to be hosted by Papua New Guinea, scheduled for the **15–19 February 2027**. This notification is in reference to SPREP Circular 26/16.

The CPRT is the premier regional forum that brings together government agencies, non-governmental organizations (NGOs), community-based organizations (CBOs), donor agencies, the private sector, academia and tertiary institutions, and individual experts from across the Pacific engaged in chemicals, waste and pollution management.

The theme for the 5th CPRT is ***‘Innovate, Invest, Implement: Delivering a Cleaner Pacific 2036. Accelerating partnerships and action for a cleaner Pacific’***.

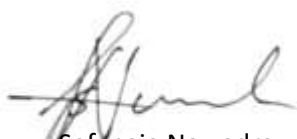
Achieving the Cleaner Pacific vision requires innovation, investment, and coordinated action. This theme focuses on advancing practical solutions, mobilising sustainable financing, strengthening partnerships, and scaling up successful initiatives across the region. The 5th CPRT will provide a platform for countries and partners to share emerging technologies, financing models, and implementation approaches that can accelerate progress towards a cleaner, more resilient, and sustainable Blue Pacific.

In addition, the Roundtable is expected to provide an opportunity for the final consultation and validation of the **Pacific Regional Waste and Pollution Management Strategy 2027 – 2036 (Cleaner Pacific 2036)**, together with its associated Action Plan, Monitoring, Evaluation, Reporting and Learning (MERL) Plan and Framework.

Further details, including the programme, participant support arrangements, venue information, and other logistical notes, will be shared in due course.

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Yours sincerely,



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