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FILE: AP 6/5/6 **TO:** SPREP National Focal Points

DATE: 27 June 2016

CIRCULAR: 16/39

SUBJECT: **Provisional Agenda and Terms of Reference for the Inaugural Clean Pacific Roundtable event from 25th – 28th July 2016, Suva, Fiji**

Dear Focal Points,

This is a follow up to *Circular 16/23 dated 19th April, 2016* inviting your government's participation in the Inaugural Clean Pacific Roundtable event from the 25th – 28th July 2016 to be held in Suva, Fiji.

Please find attached the provisional agenda and the Terms of Reference for the Clean Pacific Roundtable. For queries please contact Anthony Talouli anthonyt@sprep.org.

As stated in the Circular 16/23, funding is available to support one participant per Pacific island country and territory to attend the roundtable. Please contact Faailo Maiuu faailom@sprep.org if you would like to nominate a participant and have yet to do so.

The *Pacific Regional Waste Management and Pollution Control Strategy 2025* (Cleaner Pacific 2025) was adopted by the 26th SPREP Meeting held in Apia, Samoa in September 2015. The Strategy outlines a vision of "*A cleaner Pacific environment*" and a mission of "To implement practical and sustainable solutions for the prevention and management of waste and pollution in the Pacific".

With the progress being made in waste management and pollution control in the region, largely through donor-funded projects, the *Clean Pacific Roundtable* seeks to further strengthen regional cooperation and collaboration in line with the *Cleaner Pacific 2025* regional strategy.

I look forward to your participation and thank you for your consideration of this valuable roundtable event.

Yours sincerely,



Roger Cornforth
Acting Director General

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Att. 1 Provisional Agenda
Att. 2 Draft Terms of Reference