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**To:** SPREP National Focal Points
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**Subject:** **Meeting Reports of the Twenty-Eighth SPREP Meeting (28SM) and Associated Meetings Apia, Samoa, 14-21 Sept. 2017**

Dear SPREP Members and Partners,

Please find attached the following documents for your records and information.

- Report of the 2017 (28th) SPREP Meeting;
- Approved SPREP Work Programme and Budget for 2018 & 2019;
- Report of the 14th Noumea Convention; and
- Report of the 9th Waigani Convention

These documents will also be available in both English and French at: www.sprep.org.

May I take this opportunity to personally thank you for your guidance, cooperation and support for the work of SPREP throughout 2017. It has been a challenging year for all of us and it's a pleasure and honour to work with you all.

Faafetai tele for your cooperation in 2017 and look forward to working closely with you all this new year.

Wishing you all the best for 2018.

Warm regards.

Kosi Latu
**Director General**

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