

Pacific Immigration Development Community

2022 Regular Annual Meeting 8 – 10 August, Nadi, Fiji

Agenda item 14: PIDC Model Training Curriculum Development

Recommendations

PIDC Members are invited to:

- a) welcome the insight provided regarding the inaugural delivery of technical support to Members to establish or strengthen Members' domestic training curriculum through the PIDC National Training Curriculum Development Programme;
- b) **encourage** all Members to utilize this important opportunity to develop or strengthen a formal national immigration training curriculum; and
- c) **recommend** the Secretariat to continue supporting members in developing their national training curriculum.

Purpose

This session provides an opportunity for Members to discuss lessons in developing Members training curriculum and the challenges in sustaining national expertise and capacity.

Background

- 2. The PIDC National Training Curriculum Development Programme was introduced in 2021 to support Members develop formal domestic training programs. It uses the PIDC Model Training Curriculum which was finalized in 2021 and looks to develop formal immigration training programs for PIDC Members specific to their national operating environments of member countries. Designed with PICTs in mind, the Model Training Curriculum with training modules seek to support Members by being: (a) appropriate to their business needs; and (b) aligned to their legal, operational, staffing and remuneration frameworks.
- 3. Three member countries were scheduled for support in the 2021/22 financial period including Kiribati, Samoa and Fiji. This session will discuss work undertaken in partnership to support Kiribati and Samoa develop national immigration training curriculum and training module manuals.

Table 1: Summary of PIDC National Training Curriculum Development Programme projects

Country		Training Curriculum Nationalisation Programme Update
Kiribati	Nationalisation	Completed and reviewing report recommendations to develop
(2021/22)	of Training	specialised or advanced level training modules
	Curriculum	

Country		Training Curriculum Nationalisation Programme Update
Samoa (2021/22)	Nationalisation of Training Curriculum	Completed and reviewing report recommendations to develop specific advanced level training modules on intelligence and compliance
Fiji (2021/22)	Nationalisation of Training Curriculum	Ongoing discussions with Fiji to determine start date of Fiji nationalisation programme based on Fiji's timeline

4. Kiribati and Samoa will be invited to share their experience in developing their respective national training curriculum and some of the challenges they have faced.