



## **Pacific Immigration Development Community**

2019 Regular Annual Meeting

4 - 6 June, Rarotonga, Cook Islands

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### **Agenda item 3: Statement by the Outgoing Chair**

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#### **Proposed Recommendation**

The PIDC Regular Annual Meeting is invited to **welcome** with appreciation the Outgoing Chair's leadership during his tenure.

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#### **Purpose**

Members are to note the Outgoing Chair's statement and vision for the organisation as PIDC embarks on another new business year.

2. Members will acknowledge the work that the Outgoing Chair has successfully completed during his tenure noting in particular efforts to consolidate the work of PIDC while at the same time expanding new horizons to improve the organisation's service to Members.
3. Key activities undertaken under the Chair's guidance (to name a few) include:
  - a) the establishment of an MoU with the University of the South Pacific for an online academic award;
  - b) the effective operationalisation of the PIDC MoU on Information Sharing through the establishment of the PIDC Profiling and Intelligence Support Group;
  - c) the development of model capacity building curriculum for PIDC Members to adapt in collaboration with the Bali Process RSO and the International Organisation for Migration;
  - d) the development of a Policy Framework to guide immigration development at the national level;
  - e) the renewal of employment contracts for the Head of Secretariat and Deputy Head of Secretariat; and
  - f) PIDC's inaugural attendance of the 8th Global Meeting of inter-State Consultation Mechanisms on Migration (GRCP 8) held on 5 April 2019 in Geneva.