



***“Understanding the complexity of Migration Today: Protecting our Blue Pacific Continent and People”.***

## 2025 REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Time	No.	Item	Responsibility
<b>DAY ONE</b>			
08.30-10.00 (1hr30min)	1.	<b>Official Opening</b>	Host and Chair
10.00 -10.30		<b>MORNING TEA</b>	
10.30 -10.35 (5 mins)	2.	<b>Statement by the Chair</b>	Outgoing Chair and Incoming Chair
10.35-10.40 (5 mins)	3.	<b>Working Procedures and Appointment of the Drafting Committee</b>	Chair
10.40-10.45 (5 mins)	4.	<b>Adoption of Agenda</b>	Chair
10.45-10.55 (10mins)	5.	<b>CLOSED SESSION PIDC Board Report</b>	Chair/Secretariat
10.55-11.55PM (1hr)	6.	<b>CLOSED SESSION</b>  (i) Secretariat Report (ii) Financial Update (iii) PIDC Audit Report (iv) Member Contribution Fund (v) 2025/26 Annual Work Programme and Budget	Chair/Committee Chairs/ Secretariat
11.55-12.10PM (15 min)	7.	<b>CLOSED SESSION</b>  <b>Hosting an Immigration Ministers Conference – A Regional Vision for Collective Action</b>	Members/open discussion
12.10-1.00PM (50 mins)	8.	<b>CLOSED SESSION</b>  <b>New Draft PIDC Strategic Plan 2026 – 28/30: Shaping our Regional Direction Together</b>	Facilitator: Dr Danielle Members/open discussion
01.00-02.00PM		<b>LUNCH</b>	
02.00-03.00PM (1 hr)	9.	<b>PIDC Member Country Reports – Sharing national priorities and regional insights</b> <i>All countries to share key achievements, challenges, opportunities and priorities for this reporting period</i>	Members/open discussion Facilitator: DHOS/Tonga Immigration (TBC)

03.00-03.30PM		<b>AFTERNOON TEA</b>	
03.30-05.00PM (1hr 30mins)	cont..	<b>PIDC Member Country Reports – Sharing national priorities and regional insights</b> <i>All countries to share key achievements, challenges, opportunities and priorities for this reporting period</i>	Members/open discussion Facilitator: DHOS/Tonga Immigration (TBC)
07.00-09.00PM		<b>Australia-NZ Dinner</b> <b>Venue: Top Restaurant</b>	
<b>DAY TWO</b>			
09.00-09.40 (40 mins)	10.	<b>PIDC Regional Information Sharing Platform (RISP)</b> <i>A discussion on the new PIDC/IOM online platform and the results of the pilot phase programme and the opportunities and future of the platform.</i>	PIDC, IOM & RISP Pilot Members
09.40-10.00 (20 mins)	11.	<b>PIDC/IOM Labour Mobility Research Preliminary Findings</b> <i>A brief update on some initial findings of the regional research</i>	Facilitator: TBC Panel: PIDC/IOM Research Expert
10.00-10.30		<b>MORNING TEA</b>	
10.30-11.20 (50 mins)	12.	<b>Empowering Women in Leadership: Building Capacity, Breaking Barriers</b> <i>Panel discussion on Women in leadership</i>	Facilitator: Australia Panel: Kiribati, Tonga, Cook Islands and RMI – OCO, PICP
11.20 -11.50 (30 mins)	13.	<b>Immigration Legislation: challenges and opportunities</b> <i>Panel discussion on members experiences of reviewing legislations and the strategies adopted to push for the passing of the revised legislation in parliament.</i>	Facilitator: PIDC Panel: Solomon Islands, Cook Islands, Fiji, & Niue
11.50.-12.30PM (40 mins)	14.	<b>Border Management Priorities – ICAO Perspectives &amp; Small Island States and the Pacific Expectations</b> <i>The ICAO and SIS Chair at the ICAO Working Group are to provide an update on recent updates and priorities from ICAO and emerging issues.</i>	Facilitator: ICAO Panel: PNGICA & PIDC
12.30-1.30PM		<b>LUNCH</b>	
01.30-2.30PM (1hr)	15.	<b>Emerging Technological Trends at our Borders – Immigration Department Perspective</b> <i>Panel discussion on members experiences in the technology development journeys and their vision for the future of travel in the pacific</i>	Facilitator: ICAO (Dion) Panel: Australia, PIDC, PNG, NZ, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu, IOM
02.30-03.00PM		<b>AFTERNOON TEA</b>	

03.00-4.00PM (1hr)	16.	<b>TALANOA - Evolving Regional Border Threats: Strengthening our Collective Response</b> <i>Panel discussion on emerging and increasing border threats and approaches to tackling these regional border issues</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Talanoa Facilitator – Gray (INZ)</li> <li>• PIDC Members, PTCCC, PICP, OCO, FFA, PFC &amp; UNODC</li> </ul>
04.00-05.00PM (1hr)	17.	<b>TALANOA - The Realities of Deportees/Returnees into the Pacific: challenges and best practices to sustaining the management of deportees/returnees</b> <i>Panel Discussion on the realities in the Pacific and national and regional solutions.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Talanoa Facilitator – Gray (INZ)</li> <li>• Members only</li> </ul>
07.00-09.00PM		<b>Free Night and Bingo Night Option @ Tanoa Dateline International Hotel Lobby</b>	
<b>DAY THREE</b>			
09.00-10.00 (1 hr)	18.	<b>Cybercrime in the Pacific: A Focus on Immigration</b> <i>Cybercrime Specialist/expert speaker</i>	Facilitator: Speaker: UNODC
10.00-10.30		<b>MORNING TEA</b>	
10.30-1.00PM (2hr 30mins)	19.	<b>Bilateral Session.</b> Bilateral/multilateral discussions with development partners	PIDC individual members and Development Partners
01.00-02.00PM		<b>LUNCH</b>	
02.00-02.10PM (10 mins)	20.	<b>2026 Regular Annual Meeting and election of Vice Chair</b>	Chair/ Members
02.10-02.20PM (10 mins)	21.	<b>Election of PIDC Board members for 2025/26</b>	Chair/Members
02.20-03.00PM (40 mins)	22.	<b>Other Business</b>	Chair
03.00-03.30PM		<b>AFTERNOON TEA</b>	
03.30-04.50PM (1hr 20mins)	23.	<b>Adoption of the 2025 Communiqué</b>	Chair
04.50-05.00PM	24.	<b>Official Closing and Closing Remarks</b>	Chair and Secretariat
06.30 – 9PM		<b>Farewell Dinner</b> <b>Venue: TBC</b>	