

# Day 1 Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October Stanley Hotel, Mt Wilhelm 1-3 (Level 2)

Arrival & Registration: 9:00am – 9.30am Tea & Coffee

# Session One: 9:30am to 10:00am

## **Introductory Remarks**

• Clayton Harrington, First Secretary

Welcoming Remarks: Australian High Commission in Papua New Guinea

Caitlin Wilson, Deputy High Commissioner

Workshop Introduction and Objectives

Workshop Facilitators: Elizabeth Ward and Adam McCarty

## Group Photo Morning Tea 10:00am – 10.30am

Session Two: 10.30am - 12:30pm

## Economics of trade liberalization

- PNG Trade Profile
- Interactive session on advantages/disadvantages of trade liberalisation
- Implications for resource economies

Facilitator: Adam McCarty

## Lunch 12:30pm - 1:30 pm

# Session Three: 1:30pm - 2:30 pm

## **Role of Trade Agreements**

- WTO multilateralism
- RTA domino effect
- Implications for PNG

Facilitator: Adam McCarty

## Session Four Part 1: 2:30pm - 3:30pm

## RTAs/FTAs for Global Value Chains

- Rise of Global Value Chains
- Implications for RTAs/FTAs

Facilitator: Adam McCarty

## Afternoon Tea 3:30pm – 4:00pm

## Session Four Part 2: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

## RTAs/FTAs for Global Value Chains (ctd)

- Sectoral focus: Agriculture, Fisheries and Services
- Complementary Policies

Facilitator: Adam McCarty

Close: 5:00pm

Networking Reception in conjunction with participants from Blockchain Briefing: 6:00 pm The Stanley Hotel Poolside







# Day 2 Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October

Arrival & Registration: 8:45am – 9:00am Tea & Coffee

# Session One: 9:00am to 10:30am

#### Introductory session

- What does an FTA look like?
- Understanding the architecture of an FTA
- Treaty making
- Entry into Force

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward

## Morning Tea 10:30am - 11:00am

## Session Two: 11:00am - 12:30pm

## Understanding the Goods Chapters, goods market access and rules of origin

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward

Lunch 12:30pm - 1:30 pm

Session Three: 1:30pm - 2:30pm

## Understanding the Services Chapters, and services market access

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward

# Session Four: 2:30pm – 3:30pm

## Other chapters

- Investment
- Intellectual Property
- Competition
- Ecommerce
- Business mobility
- Labour and Environment standards
- Government procurement
- Legal chapters

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward

## Afternoon Tea 3:30pm - 4:00pm

## Session Five: 4:00pm – 5:00pm

Development Cooperation, and negotiations between developed and developing economies

- How development cooperation fits into RTAs and FTAs.
- Best practices from trade agreements between developed and developing economies

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward

Close: 5:00pm



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# Day 3 Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October

Arrival & Registration: 8:45am – 9:00am Tea & Coffee

# Session One: 9.00am to 10.30am

## Let's get practical: Preparing for an FTA negotiation

- What are you trying to achieve?
- Who are you negotiating with?
- How are you going to proceed (what team, what resources, what mandate, what individual/joint research)?
- Thinking about time management.
- Scoping it out

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward

## Morning Tea 10:30am - 11:00am

## Session Two: 11:00am - 12:30pm

#### Stakeholder engagement

- Who are they?
- How often should you talk to them? About what? Using what means? What happens if you don't talk to them?

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward

## Lunch 12:30pm - 1:30pm

# Session Three: 1:30pm - 3:30 pm

## Want to do an FTA? A Planning exercise for PNG

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward and Adam McCarty

## Afternoon Tea 3:30pm - 4:00pm

## Session Four: 4:00pm - 4:45pm

## Conclusion

- Recap
- Lessons learned from the workshop

Facilitator: Elizabeth Ward and Adam McCarty

## Session Four: 4:45pm - 5:00pm

#### Closing Remarks

 Richard Yakam, Acting Chief Trade Officer, The National Trade Office, Department of Trade Commerce and Industry

Close: 5:00pm