



The DoF – Receives TIPNG 2017 Integrity Initiative of Excellence Award



FAS –IACD Mr. Tess Wingi displaying the award.

The Department of Finance’s Phone Against Corruption (P@C) initiative was among seven other national agencies selected for the above award which took place at Lamana Hotel on the 10th Nov 2017. It is an award recognising an initiative within a national agency which strengthens the integrity of the institution.

The TIPNG judge these initiatives based on their integrity - RATE: Innovative, Replicability, Accountability, Transparency, and Empowering. The First Assistant Secretary (FAS) for the Internal Audits and Compliance Division (IACD) Mr. Tess Wingi stood on behalf of the Secretary of the DoF, Dr Ken Ngangan to receive the award. The P@C initiative sits within the IACD as part of the sustainability process while the PCaB Program continues to provide the required technical support to keep the initiative running.



Rest of the team that won the award as well.

Other national agencies who also receive the award include, the Lands Department, Internal Revenue Commission (IRC), Investment Promotion Authority (IPA), Mineral Resource Authority (MRA) and the Justice Department.

PCAB Refresh Local Trainers (TOT) in ICT.

To kick start mass ICT training in the PCaB provinces where ICT Labs are available, a team from PCaB HQ consisting of Sam Erepan (NPC) and McLaine Keari (ICTA) have commenced their visitation to Morobe, NIP, AROB, Milne Bay, and Western Province to meet with the local trainers (ToT) and Provincial Administrators (PA) and its HR Division.

The goals of the visitation was to gain support from the Provincial Administrators and have the training and ICT lab integrated into its budget and personnel development plans for the public servants in the province. The visitation was a success with Morobe showing keen interest by allocating and renovating a room for the setup of the ICT lab after prolonged indecision in room allocation. Moreover, NIP, Milne Bay, and Western Province have submitted their fourth quarter budget and training schedule for commencement of training of which Western has already completed (2) trainings facilitated by vibrant TOT’s led by the Provincial Accountant.

Autonomous Region Of Bougainville (AROB) with leadership from the ABG Department of Human Resource and Personnel Development is currently in process of developing its training schedule and budget. Apart from developing sub-national skills with vital ICT skills that will improve their productivity at workplace, the ICT training provided by PCaB is very important as it prepares the public servants in the sub-national levels with the basic prerequisite computing

skills that would enable them to use the Integrated Financial Management System (IFMS) confidently and competently.



Top: PCAB NPC with the NIP PA & PFM with PCaB site Advisor. Left: TOT Team in AROB Right: TOT Team in Western Province.



OUTCOME

National and sub-national levels of GoPNG have increased financial management capacity to manage the equitable delivery of public services.

PROJECT COMPONENTS

1. Improve service delivery at the sub-national level to transparently and accountably manage public funds;
2. Attracting recent graduates and ‘unattached’ staff of DoF for filling critical capacity gaps at sub-national levels.

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- ◆ Milne Bay
- ◆ West Sepik
- ◆ Western Highlands
- ◆ Gulf
- ◆ AR Bougainville
- ◆ Enga
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- ◆ New Ireland

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