

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

UNLOCKING PNG'S POTENTIAL THROUGH ADDRESSING LAW AND INFRASTRUCTURE CHALLENGES

FRIDAY 27 SEPTEMBER 2024 | APEC HAUS | 9AM – 4PM

TIME	SPEAKER	TOPIC
9.20 - 9.30 am	Mr. Anton Selve Master of Ceremony Communications Coordinator, PNGTPA	Welcome Remarks

SESSION ONE

Addressing Law and Order: Government & Security Strategies
Moderator 1: Mr. Fred Pennington, Executive Officer, PNGTPA

TIME	SPEAKER	TOPIC
9.30 – 9.45 am	Mr. Eric Mossman Uvovo Chief Executive Officer, PNGTPA	Opening Remarks
9.45 – 10.00 am	Hon. Powes Parkop Governor, NCDC	The Impact of Law and Order on Economic Growth and Tourism
10.00 – 10.15 am	Hon. Belden Namah Minister, Tourism, Arts & Culture Ministry	Keynote Address – Tourism as a Catalyst for Peace and Security in PNG
10.15 – 10.30 am	Chief Superintendent Kyle Saltmarsh Chief of Staff, Royal Papua New Guinea Constabulary	National Policing: Strategies to Enhance Safety Across Papua New Guinea
10.30 – 10.45 am	Dr. Joyce Rayel Head of Department, THM Department, UPNG	Concept of Tourism Police
10.45 – 11.00 am	Mr. Fred Pennington Moderator	Q&A Session

11.30 - 12.50 pm

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SESSION TWO

Aviation, Infrastructure, and Tourism Accessibility – Updates and Challenges

Moderator 2: Mr. Vapol Pose, Senior Human Resource Officer, PNGTPA

TIME	SPEAKER	TOPIC
1.00 – 1.15 pm	Mr. Dominic Kaumu Acting Managing Director, National Airports Corporation	Airport Development and Infrastructure: Progress & Future Plans
1.15 – 1.30 pm	Mr. Gary Seddon Chief Executive Officer, Air Niugini Ltd	Navigating Challenges: Foreign Exchange and Fuel Supply Crisis
1.30 – 1.45 pm	Mr. Wellington Navasivu Acting Chief Migration Officer PNG Immigration and Citizenship Services Authority	Streamlining Visa Conditions: Enhancing Accessibility for International Tourists to PNG
10.15 – 10.30 am	Chief Superintendent Kyle Saltmarsh Chief of Staff, Royal Papua New Guinea Constabulary	National Policing: Strategies to Enhance Safety Across Papua New Guinea
1.30 – 2.00 pm	Mr. Vapol Pose Moderator	Q&A Session

SESSION THREE

Tourism Operators: Overcoming Industry Challenges

Moderator 3: Mr. Wilfred Paka, Senior Product Development Officer, PNGTPA

TIME	SPEAKER	TOPIC
2.00 – 2.15 pm	Mr. Pym Mamindi Owner/Manager, Paiya Tours	Promoting PNG Abroad: Law and Order Barriers
2.15 – 2.30 pm	Ms. Maleta Tokwawasi Director, ViLink Tours & Expeditions PNG	Challenges in Positioning Milne Bay Province as a Cruise Destination
2.30 – 2.45 pm	Ms. Tania Bale Tourism Development Consultant, Enga Province	Addressing Law and Order Challenges: How Enga Tourism navigates these issues
2.45 – 3.00 pm	Mr. Wilfred Paka Moderator	Q&A Session
3.00 – 3.15 pm	Mr. Kennewton Kennedy Executive Manager, Partnership & Product Development Division, PNGTPA	Closing Remarks

3.30 pm

E N D O F P R O G R A M

CLOSING Informal Networking Cocktail Reception 4.00pm – 7.00pm