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Fisheries Management Project

PACIFIC ISLANDS



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Coordination, Participation and Information Services

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Introduction

- Component 3 – Coordination, Participation and Information Services
- Designed to support & enhance technical components 1 & 2
- Seeks to provide:
 - Effective regional & national project management
 - Include industry & ENGO in activities & enhance consultative mechanisms at national & regional levels
 - Project & WCPFC info dissemination to increase awareness
 - Monitoring & evaluation



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Introduction

- Sub-components: Information Strategy, Monitoring & Evaluation, Stakeholder Participation & Awareness Raising & Project Management & Coordination
- This presentation reports on the activities for Component 3 for the period 1 July 2007 – 30 June 2008
- Highlights significant project outcomes in the reporting period



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Project Information Systems

- Website improvements (improved interface, uploaded back-dated material)
- Project e-newsletter
- Implementation of some KMS strategies
- Pacific (Cook Is & FSM) representation/exposure at 4th IW Conference, Cape Town, South Africa, August – September 2007
- Participation at IUCN led workshop on the Economic Evaluation of LMEs



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Monitoring & Evaluation

- Independent evaluation – MTR
- 2007 Annual Review – consultations in margins of WCPF4
- Successfully completed audit requirements 2007 – mechanisms in place for follow-up and follow visit to SPC (June 2008)
- APR/PIR & GEF IW PPR (1 July 2007 – 30 June 2008)
- Baseline study



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Stakeholder Participation & Awareness Raising

- Attendance by Industry & regional ENGO representation at WCPFC meetings (SC3-Honolulu, Aug 2007, TCC3 & WCPFC4, Pohnpei Dec 2007)
- ENGO & civil society OFM/WCPFC workshop Suva, April 2007
- Pacific ENGOs follow-up meeting(s) & discussions, Nov 2007
- Industry attendance at regional policy meetings – MOC, Raro Oct 2007, WCPFC4, Guam, Dec 2007



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Project Management & Coordination

- RSC3, Rarotonga, Cook Islands Oct 2007
- NCC – some support to Nauru for meetings in 2007
- Country visits (FSM, RMI – June-July 2007, Palau – Jan 2008 & Niue & Kiribati – April 2008)
- GEF IW Conference & workshop on the Economic evaluation of LMEs, Capetown, SA – 29 July – 3 Aug 2008)
- Quarterly reports (Q3 & Q4 2007 and Q1 & Q2 2008)
- Annual Report 2007



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