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Appendix D - Committee delegation program

Papua New Guinea

Tuesday 6 October 2009

Arrive in Port Moresby

Security briefing

Briefing dinner with Australian High Commission staff

Wednesday 7 October 2009

Breakfast meeting with the Australian Parliamentary Secretary for Pacific Affairs, the Hon. Duncan Kerr, MP, for a briefing on his visit to Daru, followed by joint press conference with Mr Kerr and Mr Georganas at Crown Plaza Hotel

Site visit to Poro Sapot (Save the Children's largest HIV/AIDS project)

Site visit to Igat Hope (the primary representative body for people living with HIV/AIDS in PNG)

Site visit to the University of Papua New Guinea School of Medicine and Health Sciences (SMHS)

Site visit to PNG Eye Care Vision Centre and Optical Workshop at Port Moresby General Hospital

Working lunch with civil society and government representatives working on health and HIV/AIDS

Meeting with Mr Sasa Zibe, Minister for Health

Site visit to Susu Mamas (non-profit NGO dedicated to reducing PNG's high infant and maternal mortality rates and providing care to HIV/AIDS positive mothers and babies)

Evening reception hosted by the Australian High Commissioner

Thursday 8 October 2009

Meeting with Dr Clement Malau, Secretary of Health and Mr Enoch Posanai, Executive Manager, Public Health at the National Department of Health

Lunch with health administrators

Depart Port Moresby for Daru, Western Province

Dinner with Western Province Government and health managers

Entertainment (Sing Sing) provided by Western Province Government

Friday 9 October 2009

Visit to treaty villages of Mabadawan, Sigabadaru and Buzi in Western Province

Dinner hosted by Governor Bob Danaya

Saturday 10 October 2009

Meeting with the Western Province Provincial Health Office

Site visit to Daru Hospital

Intersectoral meeting on treaty village development, with representatives from the provincial government and departments

Depart Daru for Port Moresby

Attend the Australian High Commission Ball

Sunday 11 October 2009

Depart Port Moresby for Honiara

Solomon Islands

Sunday 11 October 2009

Arrive in Honiara

Informal briefing with the Australian High Commissioner

Monday 12 October 2009

Meeting with the Deputy Prime Minister, the Hon. Mr Fred Fono MP

Meeting with the Minister for Health and Medical Services, the Hon. Clay Forau MP

Meeting with the Speaker of the National Parliament, Rt Hon. Sir Peter Kenilorea, KBE, PC

Tour of the National Parliament from the Sergeant-at-Arms

Lunch with Ministry of Health and Medical Services Australian Leadership Fellows

Site visit to the National Referral Hospital

Meeting with the Special Select Committee Inquiry into the Quality of Services at the National Referral Hospital, chaired by the Hon. Peter Boyers MP

Dinner hosted by the Australian High Commissioner

Tuesday 13 October 2009

Meeting with Mr Albino Bobogare (Director) and staff, Vector Borne Disease Unit, Ministry of Health and Medical Services, to discuss national malaria program

Meeting with RAMSI Special Coordinator, Mr Graeme Wilson and Acting RAMSI Development Coordinator, Mr James Hall

Depart Honiara for Gizo, Western Province

Arrive in Gizo

Meeting with Western Province Premier, the Hon. George Solingi Lilo; Health Minister, Mr Sutcliff George; Acting Health Director, Dr Michael Buin; and Minister for Education, the Hon. Victoria Sino

Tour of Gizo Hospital

Dinner hosted by Western Province Government

Wednesday 14 October 2009

Depart Gizo for Vonunu, Vella Lavella Island Site visits to Vonunu Area Health Centre and Vonunu High School Depart Vonunu for Gizo Depart Gizo for Honiara

Thursday 15 October 2009

Roundtable with Ministry of Health officials Roundtable with development partners and NGOs Reception with health stakeholders

Friday 16 October 2009

Depart Honiara for Australia.