

REGIONAL ROUNDTABLE ON IMPROVING THE AVAILABILITY OF MARITIME TRANSPORT COSTS DATA

15-16 February 2023, Suva (Fiji)

PROGRAMME

Day 1 - Wednesday 15 February 2023		
Time	Activity	Presenter
09.00-09.30	1. Administrative Remarks 2. Opening Prayer 3. Welcome Address 4. Welcome Remarks 5. Introductions	Ms Ore Toua MTCC Pacific Country Representative Mr Camille Bourgeon IMO Mr Omirete Tabureka SPC All
09.30-09.45	6. Presentation and discussion on the IMO impact assessment process	Ms Aideé Saucedo Dávila IMO
09.45-10.00	7. UNCTAD's perspectives on maritime transport costs, with a focus on Pacific SIDS	Mr Onno Hoffmeister UNCTAD
10.00-10.30	Morning Tea and Group Photo	
10.30-11.00	8. Presentation of the Project on improving the availability of maritime transport costs data in the Pacific region (including lessons learned)	Ms Amelia Bola MTCC Pacific
11.00-12.00	9. <i>Talanoa</i> on the collection of maritime transport cost data at the national level (who, what, when, where, why, how of country data collection)	Participating countries, facilitated by MTCC Pacific/ MTCC- Pacific Consultant
12.00-13.00	Lunch	
13.00-14.30	10. <i>Talanoa</i> continued...	Participating countries, facilitated by MTCC Pacific/ MTCC- Pacific Consultant
14.30-14.45	Afternoon Break	
14.45-15.15	11. Retention, Confidentiality, Security, Storage Capacity with Pacific Commodity Trade Database (PACOMTRADE)	Mr Dennis Grofils SPC
15.15-15.30	Wrap Up of Day 1 of the Regional Roundtable	MTCC-Pacific Consultant
16.00-18.00	Social gathering event	

Day 2 - Thursday 16 February 2023		
Time	Activity	Presenter
10.00-10.30	12. Wrap-up from day 1, Q&A	IMO MTCC-Pacific Consultant
10.30-11.30	13. Develop concrete recommendations on how to address existing structural data gaps, with a view to allowing a more standardized approach for the assessment of impacts of future GHG reduction measures on Pacific SIDS	MTCC-Pacific Consultant UNCTAD
11.30-12.30	14. Discussion on the extension of the project	IMO MTCC-Pacific UNCTAD
12.30-14.00	Lunch break	
14.00-14.30	15. Update on IMO action on the reduction of GHG emissions from ships	Ms Aideé Saucedo Dávila IMO
14.30-15.30	16. Perspectives from the Pacific region on elements and definition of a just and equitable transition in the context of international shipping	All participants, facilitated by Ms Aideé Saucedo Dávila IMO
15.30-16.00	17. Next steps	MTCC-Pacific IMO
16.00	Closure of the Regional roundtable	