

# URBAN GOVERNANCE SUPPORT PROJECT

(Preparatory Assistance)



## Background

The Preparatory Urban Governance Support Project provides direct support to PNG Government's emerging National Urbanization Policy. In a broader national context, the project supports the Government's efforts under its Medium Term Development Strategy (2005-10, MTDS) goals to improve the quality of life in settlements within the cities and towns, thus, achieving MDG Goal # 7, targets 10 (water & sanitation) and 11 (cities without slums).

## Purpose of project

The Urban Governance Support Project provides direct support to cities and town authorities by promoting good practices on participatory governance and urban management and planning by strengthening capacity of these urban governments in the country.

## Key results

1. Document Inception Report; Appointment sub-contracts to document urban profiles; Letters of Agreement; Prepare Briefing Materials; Adapt Profiling methods, guidelines and interview forms.
2. Prepare 3x City Consultation Reports.
3. Document training materials (after city consultation & profiling); document good practice material to PNG context; synthesis of city profiles to national profiles; synthesis of national profiles for regional dissemination workshop; attend regional training –of-trainers workshop; Prepare regional workshop report
4. Prepare full report on training–of-trainers workshop; prepare for regional workshop; Institutional assessment of and develop strategy for participatory governance and EMIS.

## Main activities

- Project start-up preparation;
- Introduce Urban Profiling to key national stakeholders
- Tailor study to national & local context
- Confirm Provincial and Local partners.
- City Profiling and Consultation
- Conduct City Consultation
- Complete City / Town Profiles
- Synthesis of Urban profiles into national profiles
- Report national profile at the regional training –of – trainer's workshop

## Contributing donor(s)

UNDP, UN Habitat

Parallel Funding: CLGF (Commonwealth Local Government Forum – Fiji) and EU (European Union under EDF)

## Duration

12 Months: January – December 2007

## Total budget

USD 180,000 (UNDP 50,000, UN Habitat 30,000 plus 100,000 in-kind)

## Executing Agency

Department of Community Development through the Office of Urbanization

## Cooperating agency(ies)

UN Habitat and UNDP, Selected Urban Local Level Governments, Department of National Planning and Monitoring

## Location

Port Moresby City, Kokopo and Alotau

## Sector(s)

Governance (Urban), Decentralization

## Millennium Development Goal

Goal # 7 – target 10 ( water & sanitation) and target 11 ( cities with slums)

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