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PRESS STATEMENT FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

TIPNG staff on Chapter exchange program in Indonesia

Thursday 20 July 2023 – Transparency International PNG's (TIPNG) Coalitions Engagement Lead Ms. Barbra Ruin is engaged on a chapter-to-chapter exchange program with one of Transparency International's leading chapter in the Asia Pacific region, TI Indonesia.

Barbra leads the co-ordination of TIPNG's engagements with the PNG Government through the Open Government Partnership (OGP) and the PNG Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI), as well as various industries through the Community Coalition Against Corruption. The learnings from the chapter exchange would help TIPNG develop a robust stakeholder engagement mechanism

During her exchange with TI Indonesia, Barbra will be involved in the chapter's work on democratic governance and public participation, where she will have the opportunity to meet with TI Indonesia's partners and learn how the Indonesian chapter manages stakeholder engagements.

The aim of the chapter - to - exchange is to strengthen the network between TI chapters in the Indo-Pacific region, share knowledge, and expertise, and to enhance capacity building of chapters to combat corruption within their context.

TIPNG remains committed to its mission to empower people in PNG to take action against corruption and is focused in ensuring that it has the capacity to enable this. The chapter exchange program will help TIPNG develop a robust stakeholder engagement plan that fosters stronger and more active partnerships as well as unwavering support for anti-corruption in Papua New Guinea.

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What is TIPNG?

TIPNG is a member of Transparency International a global anti-corruption movement committed to fighting corruption. TIPNG is an independent organization in PNG known as a Chapter of the international movement. The PNG chapter advocates against corruption and promotes transparency, good governance, honesty and accountability both in private and public sector dealings. TIPNG tries to assist strengthen the integrity systems of our country such as the police, the parliament, the public services and the judiciary.