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### ***"Integrity & Action Exhibition" to Empower Citizens and Promote Transparency***

Port Moresby, Wednesday 26 March 2025 - Transparency International Papua New Guinea (TIPNG) is inviting the general public to its *"Integrity & Action Exhibition,"* a vital event aimed at empowering citizens, fostering transparency, and promoting active engagement in supporting efforts that promote transparency and integrity.

The exhibition, themed *"Integrity & Action Now!"*, will provide a platform for citizens to connect with leading agencies and organizations committed to advancing transparency and are taking action in their capacity to combat corruption. Through the theme of the exhibition, TIPNG also puts forward an urgent call to public officials, citizens and the private sector to take decisive action and actively uphold ethical principles to protect the integrity of our societies.

"This exhibition is a crucial opportunity for the people to engage directly with the organizations working to build a more transparent and accountable society. The TIPNG exhibitions are held biennially since 2012. Due to the pandemic, the last exhibition was in 2018 in Goroka," said TIPNG CEO, Ms Arianne Kassman.

"The *Integrity & Action* exhibition will highlight the work of TIPNG and its partners in government, the private sector, and civil society, who are collaborating to build a more transparent society through various integrity initiatives," said Ms Kassman.

The exhibiting partners are:

1. Art Activism
2. Auditor Generals Office
3. Business Coalition for Women
4. Centre for Environmental Law and Community Rights
5. Department of Justice and Attorney General
6. Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative
7. Financial Analysis and Supervision Unit-BPNG
8. Independent Commission Against Corruption

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9. Integrity of Political Parties and Candidates Commission
10. Investment Promotion Authority
11. Legal Training Institute
12. Media Council of PNG
13. National Economic and Fiscal Commission
14. National Fraud and Anti-Corruption Directorate
15. Ombudsman Commission
16. PNG Electoral Commission
17. Public Service Commission
18. Public Solicitors Office
19. Resource Governance Coalition
20. The National Parliament - Education and Civics Division
21. United Nations Development Programme (TAP)
22. United Nations Office of Drugs and Crime

“Entry to the exhibition is free and we are inviting the general public to come and learn from our stakeholders; interact with key institutions and agencies, gain insights into anti-corruption initiatives in PNG, empower yourself with knowledge, understand how to champion integrity and learn about TIPNG's work and how to become a member, “added TIPNG CEO.

The exhibition will be at Holiday Inn, Port Moresby on Friday 28th and Saturday 29th March 2025.

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