

Progress on Deliverables (July – December 2012)

Expected Result	Progress on Deliverables	Department
<p>1. Enhanced capabilities of Members to deliver and improve access to high-quality weather, climate, water and related environmental predictions, information, warnings and services in response to users' needs, and to enable their use in decision-making by relevant societal sectors</p>	<p>Aviation Meteorological Services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fiji Meteorological Service achieved ISO certification. - Vanuatu Meteorology and Geo-hazard Department QMS for aviation services internally and “mock” audited. - Solomon Islands Meteorology Division QMS for aviation services internally and “mock” audited. - Samoa Meteorology Division QMS for aviation services established. - 23 participants from 10 Pacific Island Countries (Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Niue, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu and Vanuatu) certified as internal auditors for QMS. - METARS for Casidy International Aerodrome (Christmas Island, Kiribati) restored and regularly transmitted reports to Fiji Meteorological Service. 	<p>DRA & WDS</p>
<p>2. Enhanced capabilities of Members to reduce risks and potential impacts of hazards caused by weather, climate, water and related environmental elements</p>		
<p>3. Enhanced capabilities of Members to produce better weather, climate, water and related environmental information, predictions and warnings to support in particular disaster risk reduction and climate impact and adaptation strategies</p>	<p>Disaster Risk Reduction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tropical Cyclone Operational for the South Pacific and Southeast Indian Ocean updated. <p>Hydrology and Water:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Issues of improvement of the provision of hydrological services, including flood forecasting and warning services in Fiji addressed. Advice provided to Fiji Meteorological Service on the integration of flood forecasting and warning services and hydrological services. 	<p>WDS & DRA CLW & DRA</p>
<p>4. Enhanced capabilities of Members to access, develop, implement and use integrated and interoperable Earth- and space-based observation systems for weather, climate and hydrological observations, as well as related environmental</p>	<p>WMO Integrated Global Observing System (WIGOS):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - On-going restoration of Niutoputapu meteorological station in Tonga. 	<p>DRA & OBS</p>

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and space weather observations, based on world standards set by WMO		
5. Enhanced capabilities of Members to contribute to and draw benefits from the global research capacity for weather, climate, water and the related environmental science and technology development		
6. Enhanced capabilities of NMHSs, in particular in developing and least developed countries, to fulfil their mandate	<p>Education and Training:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increased number of meteorologists by 6 in NMHSs of RA V Members (Brunei Darussalam x 1, Kiribati x 1, Papua New Guinea x 2, Samoa x 1 and, Vanuatu x 1). - Increased number of Meteorological Technicians by 4 in NMHSs of RA V Members (Papua New Guinea x 1, Samoa x 1, Solomon Islands x 1 and, Vanuatu x 1). - Awarded of fellowships 2012 / 2013 to RA V Members (Papua New Guinea x1 and, Samoa x 2). - Fellowship in progress since 2011 for RA V Members (Samoa x 1). <p>Improved Capabilities in Management:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pacific Islands Meteorological Services Strategy (PIMS) 2012-2021 strategic priorities and key outcomes are in line with those of the RA V SOP 2012-2015. - Kiribati Meteorological Services Strategy and Implementation Plan 2013-2018 drafted. - Strategy Plan for the Vanuatu Meteorology and Geo-hazard Department drafted. <p>Legal Basis for the Provision of Meteorological Services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Meteorological policy for Niue endorsed by national Cabinet. - Meteorological Bill for Niue drafted and presented to the Government of Niue. - Bill for the Meteorology, Geo-hazard and Climate Change Act for Vanuatu drafted and presented to the Vanuatu Meteorology and Geo-hazard Department. - Government of Tonga agreed for the development of a Meteorology Bill for Tonga. - On-going development of a Meteorology Bill for Tonga. 	DRA
7. New and strengthened partnerships and cooperation activities to improve NMHSs' performance in delivering services and to increase the value of the contributions of WMO within the United Nations	<p>Participation in relevant international Meetings and Activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - MoU with SPREP updated. - LoA with SPREP on the implementation of the Pacific Meteorological Desk Partnership (PMDP) signed. - WMO contributed to the 23rd SPREP Officials Meeting agenda items especially on updated meteorological activities in the Pacific region and the PIMS 2012-2021. - Improved partnership, cooperation and contributions within the United Nations system in the 	DRA

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<p>system, relevant international conventions and national strategic issues</p>	<p>Pacific Subregion through (i) being a member of the UNCT Samoa and, participation in its Management Team, Security Management Team (SMT), Disaster Management Team (DMT), Operation Management Team (OMT), Pacific Gender Working Group (PGWG), Pacific Advocacy and Communication Working Group (PACWG), implementation of UNDAF Pacific Subregion 2008-2012 and the development of UNDAF Pacific Subregion 2013-2017; (ii) being a member of the UNCT Fiji and; (ii) being a member of the UNCT Papua New Guinea.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Improved partnership and cooperation with UNESCO-IOC through the co-sponsorship of the a regional workshop (Apia, Samoa, July 2012) for the Regional Working for Tsunami Warning and Mitigation System in the South West Pacific of the UNESCO-IOC's Intergovernmental Coordination Group for the Pacific Tsunami Warning and Mitigation System. 	
<p>8. An effective and efficient Organization</p>		