

PROGRAMME

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 2017

All Day Arrival of Participants, Nadi International Airport

Greeting and Transportation to the Official Hotel, Intercontinental Fiji Golf Resort and Spa,
Natadola

12:00 – 20:00 Registration

APPF Registration and Information Desk, Front Foyer, Intercontinental Fiji Golf Resort and
Spa, Natadola

Own Arrangements

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2017

*****All meetings take place at The Intercontinental Fiji Golf Resort and Spa,
Natadola*****

All Day Arrival of Participants

Nadi International Airport

Greeting and Transportation to the Official Hotel Intercontinental Fiji Golf Resort and Spa,
Natadola

Registration

APPF Registration and Information Desk, Front Foyer, Intercontinental Fiji Golf Resort and
Spa, Natadola

09:00 – 12:00 Meeting of Women Parliamentarians

Natadola Ballroom 1 & 2, Intercontinental Fiji Golf Resort and Spa, Natadola

[see separate programme]

**12.15 – 1400 Luncheon for Women Parliamentarians hosted by Honourable
Mereseini Vuniwaqa, Minister for Women, Children and Poverty Alleviation**

(Sanasana Restaurant)

[by invitation only]

12:00 – 13:30 Luncheon for Members of the Executive Committee hosted by the Speaker, Hon. Dr Jiko Fatafehi Luveni

(Navo Restaurant)

[by invitation only]

12:30 – 13:30 Meeting of Advisors and Secretaries to Delegations

(Secretariat Briefing to all Accompanying Delegation Secretaries)

(Watercourt 3)

14:00 – 17:00 Meeting of the Executive Committee

(Natadola Ballroom 1 & 2)

18:30 – 19:30 Welcome Reception

Hosted by the Hon. Dr Jiko Fatafehi Luveni, Speaker of the Fijian Parliament

(Kama Beach Front)

Business Attire [for all participants]

Own Arrangements

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 2017

08.30 – 09.30 Official Fijian Traditional Ceremonies of Welcome

(Kama Lawn)

(see separate programme – Traditional Fijian Ceremonies of Welcome)

09:30 – 09:40 Photo Session – All APPF Delegation Members

09:40 – 09.45 Proceed to Plenary Venue

(Grand Ballroom)

09:45 – 10:30 Official Opening Session (Grand Ballroom)

Welcome Remarks

- Hon. Dr Jiko Luveni,
Speaker of the Fijian Parliament and President of the APPF (Chair of the Executive Committee)
- Mr. Takuji Yanagimoto
Member of the House of Councillors of Japan

Opening Address

- The Honourable Josiaia Voreqe Bainimarama,
Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji

Vote of Thanks

- His Excellency Hon. Mr. Fadli Zon, Vice Speaker, The House of Representatives of the Republic of Indonesia

10.30 – 10.45 Health Break (Tea/Coffee)

10.30 – 10.35 Photo Session at the Grand Ballroom (Heads of Delegations)

10.45 – 12.00 First Plenary Session (Grand Ballroom)

Political and Security Matters

- **Gender equality and empowerment of women and girls**

11:00 – 12:00 Meeting of the Drafting Committee (Watercourt Room 3)

12:00 – 14:00 Luncheon for Speakers and Heads of Delegation hosted by Hon. Dr Jiko Luveni, Speaker of the Fijian Parliament

(Navo Restaurant)

[by invitation only]

12:00 – 14:00 Buffet Luncheon for all Delegates

(Sanasana Restauran)

14:00 – 17:00 First Plenary Session (cont'd) (Grand Ballroom)

Political and Security Matters

- *Strengthening systems of border control and monitoring to combat Human and drug Trafficking*
- *Ensuring Effective Succession planning including education for Leaders of a New Generation.*

- *Peace and Security in the Asia Pacific Region and the International Community.*

14:00 – 17:00 Meeting of the Drafting Committee (Watercourt Room 3)

14:00 – 17:00 Working Groups (3) (Watercourt Room 4, 5 & 6)

18:30 – 21.30 Buffet Dinner

(Navo Restaurant)

hosted by the Hon. Josaia Voreqe Bainimarama, Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji,

Smart Casual Dress (Bula wear)

[see separate programme]

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2017

09:00 – 12:00 Meeting of the Drafting Committee (Watercourt Room 3)

09:00 – 12:00 Working Groups (3) (Watercourt Room 4, 5 & 6)

09:00 – 10:30 Second Plenary Session (Grand Ballroom)

Economic and Trade Matters

- *Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC Report 2016)*
- *Promoting Sustainable Economic Growth in Asia-Pacific Region*

10:30 – 10:45 Health Break *(Tea/Coffee)*

10:45 – 12:00 Second Plenary Session **(cont'd)**

(Grand Ballroom)

Economic and Trade Matters

- *Poverty alleviation – championing the SDG's to achieve the 2030 agenda*

12:00 – 14:00 Buffet Luncheon for all Delegates *(Sanasana Restaurant)*

13:30 – 17:30 Meeting of the Drafting Committee (Watercourt Room 3)

13.30 – 17.30 Working Groups (3) (Watercourt Room 4, 5 & 6)

14:00 – 15:45 Second Plenary Session (cont'd) (Grand Ballroom)

Economic and Trade Matters

- *Promoting food security in the Asia Pacific Region*
- *Role of Social Media in civic participation*

15.45 – 1630 Third Plenary Session (Grand Ballroom)

Regional Cooperation

- *Take urgent action to combat Climate Change and its impact*

16:30 – 17:30 Third Plenary Session (cont'd) (Grand Ballroom)

Regional Cooperation (cont'd)

- *To promote the Conservation and Sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, Oceans, seas and Marine resources*

Own Arrangements

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18, 2017

09:00 – 12:00 Third Plenary Session (cont'd) (Grand Ballroom)

Regional Cooperation

- *Cooperation and practical approaches that Parliaments and Knowledge institutions in the Region can take for sustainable development*
- *Developing regional and sub-regional strategies on combating Non-Communicable Diseases*
- *Disaster Risk Reduction*

09:00 – 12:00 Meeting of the Drafting Committee (Watercourt Room 3)

12:00 – 14:00 Buffet Luncheon for all Delegates (*Sanasana Restaurant*)

13:00 – 14:00 Meeting of the Drafting Committee (*Watercourt Room 3*)

14:00 – 16:00 Final Plenary Session (Grand Ballroom)

- **Outcome of the Meeting of Women Parliamentarians**
- **Reports on Previous APPF Work**
- **Future Work and Hosts of APPF Annual Meetings**
- **Adoption of the Resolutions and Joint Declaration**
- **Signature of the Joint Declaration**
- **Closing Statements**

16:30 – 17:00 Press Conference (Watercourt Room 3)

18.30 – 22.00

Farewell Dinner for all Delegates

hosted by the **His Excellency Jioji Konousi Konrote President of the Republic of Fiji,**
Intercontinental Fiji Golf Resort and Spa Grand Ballroom

[see separate programme]

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 2017

All Day Departure of Delegates

Excursion

[optional]

08:15 Departure by bus for Port Denarau Marina
09:30 Arrival into Port Denarau
10:00 Day Cruise to Tivua Island – Captain Cook Cruises
11:15 Arrival into Tivua Island
11:30 Relaxation Activities on Tivua Island
13:00 BBQ Luncheon
14:00 Relaxation Activities on Tivua Island
15:30 Depart Tivua Island
16.45 Arrival into Port Denarau
17.45 Arrival in Natadola

Own Arrangements

FRIDAY & SATURDAY JANUARY 20 & 21, 2017

All Day Departure of All Delegates