Endorsement of Strategic Program for Climate Resilience for Papua New Guinea and approval of PPCR funding for preparation and supervision of activities

The PPCR Sub-Committee, having reviewed the document PPCR/SC.11/4, *Strategic Program* for Climate Resilience for Papua New Guinea, a country participating in the Pacific regional program,

- a) endorses the SPCR as a basis for the further development of the project foreseen in the strategic program and takes note of the requested funding of USD 25 million in grant funding;
- b) recognizes that the quality of the proposed project will be a significant factor in the funding to be approved by the Sub-Committee when the project is submitted for approval of PPCR funding;
- c) approves a total of USD 750,000 in PPCR funding as a preparation grant for the one investment project proposed in the SPCR to be implemented by ADB;
- d) takes note of the estimated budget for project preparation and supervision services for the investment project and approves a first tranche of USD 196,958 as a first tranche of funding for MDB preparation and supervision services for the project; and
- e) requests the Government of Papua New Guinea and the ADB to take into account written comments submitted by Sub-Committee members by November 15, 2012, in the further development of the program.