Fiji Update

Venue: Southbank Convention Centre
Townsville
Thursday 2 August 2007
9.30am–3.30pm

9.30–10.00 Coffee and Welcome
Craig Stack – President
Townsville Chamber of Commerce
Chair
Satish Chand
Crawford School, ANU

10.00–10.30 The situation for Fiji’s economy
Satish Chand
Crawford School, ANU

10.30–10.50 Discussion

10.50–11.20 Morning Tea

11.20–11.40 Is there really poverty in Fiji?
Emele Duituturaga
University of the South Pacific

11.40–12.00 Discussion

12.00–12.20 Tourism in the South Pacific: still a destination?
Tony Everett
South Pacific Tourism

12.20–12.40 Discussion

12.40–1.30 Lunch
Chair
Maree Tait
Crawford School, ANU

1.30–1.50 JCU Training Program for Fijian Nurses
Joanne Tollefson
James Cook University

1.50–2.10 Discussion

2.10–2.30 Safety experience with Fiji Electricity Authority
Peter Sims
Ergon Energy

2.30–2.40 Discussion

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2.40–3.00  Agribusiness Projects in Fiji
Roger Kaus and Peter Philp
Department of Primary Industries and Fisheries

3.00–3.20  Discussion

3.20  Close

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