Fiji Update 2009

Friday 14 August, 9:30am – 3.00pm
Ballroom 2, Stamford Plaza Hotel, Brisbane

9.30 – 9.40 Welcome
CHAIR Ron Duncan, Australian National University

9.40 – 10.00 The role of the military in Fiji
Steven Ratuva, University of Auckland

10.00 – 10.10 Discussion

10.10 – 10.30 Coups and ethnic politics
Jon Fraenkel, Australian National University

10.30 – 10.40 Discussion

10.40 – 11.00 Morning tea

11.00 – 11.20 Anti-corruption in Fiji’s post coup politics
Peter Larmour, Australian National University

11.20 – 11.30 Discussion

11.30 – 11.50 Strengthening integrity in government – Fiji’s scorecard for Global Integrity’s World Report
Graham Hassall, University of the South Pacific

11:50 – 12:00 Discussion

12:00 – 12.20 Fiji and opportunities for clean development mechanisms
Kalara McGregor, Queensland University of Technology

12.20 – 12.30 Discussion

12. 30 – 1.10 Lunch

1.10 – 1. 40 2009 Economic Survey of Fiji
Renuka Mahadevan, University of Queensland

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