Economic Update 2002
Thursday 7 November
1.00–4.00pm
Melanesian Hotel, Lae

12.00–1.00 Luncheon hosted by the Lae Chamber of Commerce and Industry*

Welcome and Chair

Mr Alan McLay
President, Lae Chamber of Commerce and Industry

1.00–1.30 The Papua New Guinea economy: correcting Papua New Guinea’s costly economic cycles
Mr Craig Sugden, Economic Insights

1.30–1.50 Panel discussion

Mr Phil Franklin, President of the INA and CEO, Trukai Industries
Mr George Sellar, Accountant

1.50–2.00 Discussion

2.00–2.30 Privatisation—what next?
Mr Mike Manning, Director, Institute of National Affairs

2.30–2.40 Panel discussion

Mr Keith Kingston, Manufacturers Council
Mr Bob Howden, Institute of National Affairs

2.40–2.50 Discussion

2.50–3.10 Afternoon tea

3.10–3.40 Deficit bias and debt accumulation in Papua New Guinea
Dr Satish Chand
Asia Pacific School of Economics and Management, The Australian National University

3.40–3.50 Discussants

Mr David Caradus, PricewaterhouseCoopers
Mr John Sisam, PricewaterhouseCoopers

3.50–4.00 Discussion and close

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