



# THE ADVISORY GROUP ON APEC FINANCIAL SYSTEM CAPACITY-BUILDING

A Public-Private Sector Initiative

## Second Meeting 2017

26 April 2017, 14:00 – 16:00

*Emerald Room, 3F, FKI Conference Center, Seoul*

## Meeting Paper

### Report to ABAC – Asia Pacific Infrastructure Partnership (APIP)

The Australian APEC Study Centre, RMIT University

- PURPOSE** For consideration
- ISSUE** Progress in APIP Dialogues and work plan for 2017
- BACKGROUND** Following on from a series of meetings in early 2017, and in consultation with ABAC Australia member Mr Robert Milliner, the APIP has focused on strategic infrastructure objectives highlighted in the Finance Ministers Statement of 2016.
- The APIP Secretariat have further focused on closer coordination and partnerships with the G20 through the Global Infrastructure Hub and the MDB's. This coordinated approach to the APIP work agenda has been well received and the APIP will continue building upon these relationships.
- The APIP Secretariat has also been involved in preparatory discussions to deliver targeted Dialogues with Thailand, Viet Nam and Indonesia where Ministries have sought follow up Dialogues and assistance.
- In conjunction with APFF, the APIP convened a successful Dialogue with the Government of Indonesia on Waste Management Systems (report attached). Mr Mark Johnson AO, chair of the APIP, co-chaired the meeting along with government representatives from Indonesia.
- PROPOSAL** Endorse the APIP Dialogue Report and upcoming APIP work plan for 2017.
- DECISION POINT** Endorse the recommendations outlined above.