

Asia Pacific Metrology Programme

Brainstorming at DEC Session 2, November 2016

Outputs from DEC Brainstorming, Nov 2015

1. Where do we want to be in 3-5 years

- Continue to participate and strengthen participation in CIPM MRA
- Be a recognised service/solution provider domestically
 - Be able to meet calibration needs (basic services)
- Close collaboration with QI institutions with clear designation of roles
- Providing training for other NMIs
- Capacity and capability as an NMI, including in metrology in chemistry

Outputs from DEC Brainstorming, Nov 2015 2. How are we going to get there

- Regular DE needs assessments
- Regional training
- Bilateral consultancies
- Prioritise services areas for CMCs based on real needs
- Use DEC as a forum to learn lessons from other NMIs
- Industry needs surveys identify key sectors
- Share case studies highlighting metrology's relevance to sectors
- Improve strategy for communication and better stakeholder engagement



3. APMP's inputs

- Consultancies and capability building in setting up laboratories
- Knowledge transfer from developed NMIs
- Case studies on NQI systems
- Guidance documents
- Lessons learned re: strategic communication
- Being a gateway to other forums, advocate in international forums



Barriers

- Budget
- Staff competencies
- Multiple tasks to fulfil
- Difficulties in setting priorities



4. APMP Action Plan

- Provide guidance for stakeholder engagement
- Provide experts for lobbying and awareness raising in Asia Pacific
- Support interactions with, eg. APEC, to gain support from top-down (political leadership)
- Funding support



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Thank you