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INVESTMENT PROMOTION AUTHORITY RECEIVES INTEGRITY INITIATIVE OF EXCELLENCE AWARD

The Investment Promotion Authority scooped the 2017 Integrity Initiative of Excellence Award for its Online Registry System.

The Award is an initiative of the Transparency International of PNG (TIPNG) and is for the recognition of an initiative within a national agency which strengthens the integrity of that Institution.

The Award is based on five main criterions including innovative, replicability or whether the initiative can be replicated in another state agency, accountability, transparency and empowering.

The IPA's online registry system has been established since 2013 and has been effective since then. A diagnostic survey was done on the system in August this year and feedback received has shown that the IPA's clients have accepted the change and are appreciative of it.

Acting Managing Director for IPA Mr. Clarence Hoot thanked TIPNG for their confidence in the IPA and said that such recognitions were a boost in our current systems.

"We are always striving to bring our services to a competitive level while trying to maintain integrity and professionalism, he said. "The gesture by TIPNG signals that we are on the right track," Mr Hoot added.

Mr Hoot further reiterated that the award was for all hard working IPA staff in particular, those responsible for the online registry system as they are the ones that ensure clients are provided the best services through the system.

Authorized for release by:
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