



**SECOND PACIFIC MINISTERIAL MEETING ON METEOROLOGY (PMMM-2)  
Hosted by the Government of Solomon Islands**

*18 August 2017  
FFA Conference Centre, Honiara, Solomon Islands*

**Theme:** "Sustainable Weather, Climate, Ocean and Water Services for a Resilient Pacific"

**OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY AGENDA**

- 8:40am All guests to be seated
- 9:00am **Video of Solomon Islands, Cultural Welcome and presentation of gifts**
- 9:10am **Opening Prayer**  
Fr. John Ashley  
*Representative of Solomon Island Christian Association*
- 9:15am **Welcome**  
Mr. Chanel Iroi  
*Under Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Climate Change, Disaster Management and Meteorology.*
- 9:20am **Keynote Address**  
Mr. Leota Kosi Latu  
*Director General, Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)*
- 9:30am **Keynote Address**  
Ambassador Patrick Suckling  
Australia's Ambassador for the Environment
- 9:40am **Keynote Address**  
Professor Petteri Taalas  
*Secretary General, World Meteorological Organization (WMO)*
- 9:50am **Opening Address**  
Hon. Manasseh Maelanga  
*Acting Prime Minister  
Solomon Islands*
- 10:00am **Official Meeting Photo and Morning Tea.**

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