



Words from Mel Togolo PNG Country Manager

Welcome to my September edition of the Nautilus Minerals Update for 2015.

Last Thursday my team facilitated a Health Workshop alongside the New Ireland Provincial Administration (NIPA). The aim of the workshop was to discuss outcomes of a Health Baseline Study which Nautilus recently had completed in the wards located nearest to the Solwara 1 Project and to prioritise potential health programs. The workshop was attended by representatives from the New Ireland Department of Health, NIPA, National Department of Health, Kavieng Hospital, Healthcare Workers, Faith Based Organisations and aid agencies. The broad range of attendees ensured the discussion was focused and aligned with government plans and strategies.

In order to ensure sustainability of the program, it was agreed by all participants that a Public Private Partnership (PPP) be established. Ensuring sustainability is important for Nautilus, we look forward to establishing a PPP and working alongside our partners to deliver a high impact program for the communities along the west coast of New Ireland Province.

CEO Health and Education Sector, Mr Bau Waulas, stated that no other company in New Ireland had held this type of workshop to develop programs to improve health in their local communities. He said Nautilus should be commended for facilitating the meeting and looked forward to a public private partnership being established.



Participants at the Health Workshop held in Kavieng, New Ireland Province

I am proud to announce that Nautilus Minerals was a Silver Sponsor of the 5th Regional Tuna Industry and Trade Conference held in Fiji last week. The event which was jointly organised by the Government of Papua New Guinea and PNG National Fisheries Authority (NFA) was attended by approximately 300 people from around the Pacific. Demonstrating our commitment to protect the environment and care for fish we will continue to support and work with the tuna industry.

Our sponsorship of and attendance at the Forum is an example of Nautilus' commitment to working with the NFA in the interests of the sustainable development of PNG's seafloor resources. Working together, our partnership will bring mutual benefit of all sea uses and stakeholders in PNG as well as a broader understanding of the Bismarck Sea.

Our stakeholder engagement program continued in September with meetings held with the East New Britain Provincial Administration (ENBPA), District and Local Level Governments (LLGs) from Kokopo, Rabaul and Gazelle areas. The aim of these meetings was to provide an update to senior government officials including ENBPA Officers, LLG Presidents and Managers and Town Mayors on the Solwara 1 Project and CSR programs. Most importantly these meetings provided the opportunity for Nautilus staff to listen to questions and queries from stakeholders.



Nautilus' VP Operations delivering a presentation in ENB

Updates provided during these meetings will be passed onto community members by their LLG Presidents and Managers. The CSR team are planning to return to East New Britain in early 2016 with meetings to be organised at both government and community level.

I look forward to providing my next update in October as my team and I continue to work with the New Ireland Provincial Government, the community and the PNG State to implement health, education and infrastructure initiatives.

Regards
Mel Togolo

About Nautilus Minerals Inc.

Nautilus is the first company to explore the ocean floor for polymetallic seafloor massive sulphide deposits and is developing its first project at Solwara 1, in the territorial waters of Papua New Guinea, where it is aiming to produce copper and gold. The company has been granted all necessary environmental and mining permits. For more information send a note to: PO Box 1161, Port Moresby, NCD or visit our websites: www.nautilusminerals.com / www.cares.nautilusminerals.com