



## Media release

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### **Office of the National Public Auditor (ONPA) joins with other Pacific audit offices in calling for more concerted action as part of global audit on climate change adaptation actions**

The ONPA contributed to a regional report on the audits of responses to climate-related matters by government agencies in nine Pacific Island states published on, October 2, 2025.

It joins more than 50 supreme audit institutions (SAIs) from around the world that participated in a cooperative audit initiative on their governments' climate change adaptation actions.

The Pacific Association of Supreme Audit Institutions (PASAI) published the report covering audits from its member offices in the Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, the Marshall Islands, New Caledonia, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu and Vanuatu.

Each participating audit office in the Pacific region selected one of three audit topics; examining how well their governments are managing water resources, implementing climate change adaptation plans or actions, or taking action to adapt to the impact of sea level rise and coastal erosion.

Public Auditor, Haser Hainrick, said, "The effects of climate change are real and literally at our doorsteps.

"We are proud to contribute to this report which contains urgent lessons and solutions to safeguard our homes, communities and future generations."

The Pacific regional report on climate change adaptation actions identified that governments need to act now to:

- secure available financing and expertise
- better plan and target measures where they are needed
- more effectively implement measures through more coordinated and inclusive action
- ensure accountability through monitoring and reporting of intended outcomes.

Mr. Hainrick said he hoped the collection of real examples, common themes and recommendations in the report provides a path forward for government agencies, donors and communities to take urgent and effective climate action.

The regional report and links to individual audit reports and videos from contributing auditors are at [pasai.org/regional-reports](https://pasai.org/regional-reports).

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