

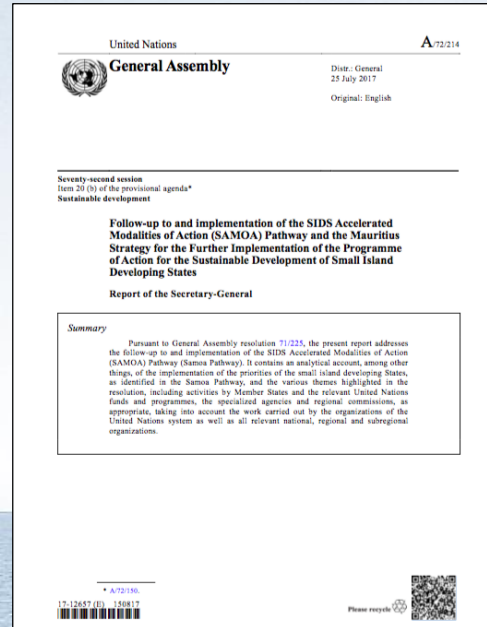
**A Brief
Preparatory Processes
SAMOA PATHWAY
Mid-term Review**



Mandates

A/RES/71/225 2016

- High Level Review
- UNGA 74
- September 2019
- Concise, action-oriented and inter-governmentally agreed political declaration



A/RES/72/217 2017

- 2018
- 3 x Regional and 1 x Inter-Regional Prep Meetings
- UN-DESA SIDS Unit, OHRLLS
- Relevant agencies of the UN Systems
- Regional Commissions
- Existing Resources
- Full participation of SIDS
- Requested Donors
- Voluntary Trust Fund





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Preparatory Meetings

To be completed in 2018



AIMS

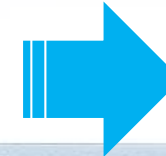
23 - 25 May,
Balaclava,
MAURITIUS

PACIFIC SIDS

19 - 21 Jun,
Nuku'alofa,
TONGA

CARIBBEAN

07 – 09 Aug,
tbc,
BELIZE



INTER-REGIONAL

5-9 November
Apia
SAMOA

Milestones & Division of Labour

Key Milestones

- The preparation of regional reports;
- The convening of preparatory meetings; and
- Formulation of SIDS Positions

Division of labour

- OHRLLS - Pacific and AIMS regional meetings;
- UN-DESA(SIDS Unit), Caribbean & the Interregional Meeting.



Meeting Formats & Expected Outcomes

- Three (3) days meetings; includes panels and interactive sessions
- A standardized approach to the format will be recommended across the regions, bearing in mind the different circumstances and priorities.
- All meetings will include a session dedicated to partnerships in line with the General Assembly resolution 70/472/Add.2
- Meetings aim to produce a concise outcome document for synthesis into Interregional meeting, towards a concise, action-oriented and inter-governmentally agreed political declaration for the MTR.



THANK YOU



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