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VISIT TO PAPUA NEW GUINEA
BY
PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL BANK
FOR
RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT
MR. ROBERT McNAMARA AND MRS McNAMARA AND PARTY.
FROM 11 - 13 FEBRUARY

ITINERARY

MONDAY 11 FEBRUARY.

- 1140 Flight TN 1304 arrives. Party met by:
 Chief Minister of Papua New Guinea, Mr. M.T. Somare, M.H.A.
 Deputy Chief Minister and Minister for the Interior,
 Dr. J. Guise, M.H.A.
 Minister for Finance, Mr. J. Chan, M.H.A.
 Minister for Defence and Foreign Relations, Mr. A.
 Maori Kiki, M.H.A.
 Deputy Head of the Australian Office, Mr. M. Lyon.
 Resident Representative U.N.D.P., Mr. T. Unwin.
 Foreign Relations Officer, Mr. Benais Sabumei.
 1) Mr. & Mrs McNamara depart for High Commissioners
 residence.
 11) Mr. Ljunch and Mr. Clark depart for Davara Motel.
- 1430 Mr. McNamara to call on Chief Minister, Mr. M.T. Somare,
 M.H.A.
- 1515 Informal session with Senior Ministers:
 Mr. M.T. Somare, Chairman.
 Dr. J. Guise, Deputy Chief Minister.
 Mr. J. Chan, Minister for Finance.
 Mr. A.M. Kiki, Minister for Defence and Foreign Relations.
 Mr. I. Okuk, Minister for Agriculture.
 Mr. N.E. Olewale, Minister for Education.
 Mr. P. Lapun, Minister for Mines and Energy.
 Mr. D. Mola, Minister for Business Development.
 in Cabinet Conference Room.
- 1615 Briefing session with Minister for Finance, Mr. J. Chan,
 and officials.
 Dept. of Finance, Mr. M. Morauta, Secretary, and
 Mr. H.P. Ritchie adviser.
 Central Planning Office, Mr. D. Beatty, Director.
 Dept. of Foreign Relations and Trade, Mr. W.L. Conroy,
 Secretary.
 Papua New Guinea Bank, Mr. H. ToRobert, Manager.
 Department of the Chief Minister, Mr. P. Bouraga,
 Acting Secretary.
 Department of Agriculture, Stock and Fisheries, Mr. J.
 Natera, Director.
 (Cabinet Conference Room.)
- 1745 Depart for Gateway Hotel.
- 1930 Dinner hosted by Chief Minister Mr. M.T. Somare.

TUESDAY 12 FEBRUARY.

- 0630 Mr. & Mrs McNamara depart from High Commissioners
 residence for Jacksons Airport. Davara party depart
 Davara.
- 0700 Melaesian Airlines charter departs to overfly Purari
 and view Central Highlands area.
- 0900 Charter lands Kundiawa. Party met by A/District Com-
 missioner Mr. A. Creedy. Take morning tea.

1910
 1745

1005 Depart by road for Goroka.
 1215 Arrive Goroka for lunch with A/District Commissioner, Mr. P.J. Walsh and local leaders and businessmen.
 P.M. Visit rural project as arranged by Acting District Commissioner.
 1600 Melanesian Airlines charter departs Goroka for Port Moresby.
 1800 Arrive Jacksons Airport, Port Moresby, to accommodation.
 1930 Dinner hosted by the High Commissioner, His Excellency, Mr. L.W. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson.
 Guests:
 Dr. K.S. Inglis, Vice Chancellor of the University of Papua New Guinea and Mrs. Inglis.
 Professor Maddocks, Professor of Clinical Science of the University of Papua New Guinea and Mrs. Maddocks.
 Major E. Diro, Papua New Guinea Defence Force, and Mrs. Diro.
 Mr. T. ToBunbun, Foreign Relations Officer, Department of Foreign Relations and Trade.
 Mr. G.B. Feakes, First Assistant Secretary, Australian Department of Foreign Affairs.

WEDNESDAY 13 FEBRUARY.

0800 Depart accommodation.
 0815 Call on Leader of the Opposition Mr. Tei Abal, M.H.A. *H.L.S. Hic*
 and:
 Mr. J.P. Langro, M.H.A., Deputy Leader of the Opposition.
 Mr. Sinake Giregire, M.H.A.
 Mr. Angmai Bilas, M.H.A.
 Mr. McKensie Daugie, M.H.A.
 0905 Discussions with Managing Director of the Papua New Guinea Development Bank, Mr. Cole.
0935
0945 Depart for meeting with Managing Director of the Investment Corporation of Papua New Guinea, Mr. L.G.C. Moyle.
0950
1005 Informal discussion with businessmen, academics and public servants on the investment climate in Papua New Guinea.
 Mr. L.G.C. Moyle, Chairman.
 Mr. Small, Head of Commonwealth of Australia Banking group in Papua New Guinea.
 Mr. E. Cleland, Manager, British New Guinea Development Company Ltd., Member, Jopra Marketing Board, President of Planters Association of Papua. President, National Farmers Union.
 Mr. Palius Matane, Secretary, Department of Business Development.
 Mr. Elliot Elijah, Department of Business Development.
 Mr. Mahuru Rarua, Director, Port Moresby Bus Service. Director, Cooperative Wholesale Society. Director, PNG Printing. Director, Pagini Taxis. Director, Pacific Insurance.
 Mr. Clunies-Ross, Professor of Economics, Faculty of Arts, University of Papua New Guinea.
 Dr. Ross Garnaut, Research Fellow on Economic Policy in Papua New Guinea. New Guinea Research Unit, Australian National University.
 Mr. Elias Vuvu, Private Secretary to Minister for Agriculture, Stock and Fisheries.
 Mr. John Noel, Office of the Chief Minister.
 1030 Depart for ~~lunch at the~~ High Commissioners residence.
 1055 Depart for Jacksons Airport.
 1130

1085 Depart for Housing Commission, Morata, and airport.