

PRESENTATION TO PIC CONFERENCE  
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Pauamac 7's business plan for the '04/'05 fishing year had 8 core management projects. These have all had some action carried out which has created a heavy workload for the executive. We have set up projects with team leaders usually accompanied by at least two other executive.

The following is a brief overview of the main projects undertaken.

The ACE retention programme has been successfully signed off with 100% commitment and we look forward to the same commitment next year as we continue the project. This was achieved by a huge effort by the project manager and his team.

The compliance project is continuing on with the project team recently getting together with CRAMAC 5, which I'm sure will help with further ideas to assist MoF in the further improvement in control of fish thieves.

The Reseeding Science Project is continuing steadily on. Huge credit must be paid to the project leader and Scientists. This project is showing exciting and positive results as we begin our eighteen-month survival survey.

Our Fisheries Plan project has been given a great boost by receiving a \$30 000 grant under the "Tools of Collective Action" programme through SEAFIC. This, along with the unexpected support from MoF in assisting us with Facilitators, has put PAUAMAC 7 in an excellent position which should also benefit other PAUAMACs with a template fish plan. Another big effort has been put in by project leader and team.

It is extremely gratifying to see the huge commitment being made across the whole industry to help secure the sustainability and financial viability of this extremely important and valuable fishery. Personally it makes me feel very proud to be a part of this united industry and I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your contribution.

Special thanks to all the Project Managers and teams.

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