



THE APEC ARCHITECT PROJECT SIXTH CENTRAL COUNCIL MEETING

Meeting Summary Conclusions

1. Attendees were welcomed by the Chair of the Canadian APEC Architect Monitoring Committee Peter Streith.
2. The protocols for the Central Council Meeting were confirmed.
3. Economies introduced their attendees, all participating economies were present.
4. The agenda was confirmed without amendment.
5. The meeting summary of the Fifth APEC Architect Project Central Council Meeting held in Wellington, New Zealand in 2012 was confirmed without amendment.
6. Delegates discussed the definition of an architect and how many each economy has. A new definition was approved and the Manual will be updated accordingly. The definition is;

‘A Registered Architect - an architect holding a current registration such that he or she is permitted and licensed under domestic law to the unrestricted practice of architecture at the present time.’
7. The Secretariat reported that no inquiries had been received regarding the establishment of any new monitoring committees.
8. All economies provided reports on their APEC Architect activities.
9. Malaysia was asked to ensure that an invitation to the Seventh Central Council Meeting is sent to the APEC economies not currently part of the APEC Architect Project. Those with contacts in those economies, especially those a part of ASEAN were asked to share the information.
10. No new bilateral or multilateral agreements were reported, but Australia, Canada and New Zealand will be signing an MRA shortly.
11. The project’s Reciprocal Recognition Framework was reviewed, a support matrix was drafted and content discussed.
12. A motion was passed to alter the Framework language to match that of the glossary in regards to ‘domain specific’ with the addition of the word ‘host’;

‘Domain Specific – Competencies or knowledge related to conditions of professional practice specific to a host economy.’