

Dispela update em long toksave long Seabed Mining Project insait long PNG

- 1. PNG gavaman tru long Konsevation Protekson Autoriti (CEPA)) givim Nautilus Minerals Environmental permit long 2008 na Minerals Resource Authority (MRA) givim mining license long 2011
- 2. Nautilus Minerals kampani em bin bankrupt na lusim seabed mining project long **2019 bikos** igat planti opposition long stopim dispel project. Local, National, Regional na International concerns
- 3. Former PM **Peter O'Neil** ibin tok olsem dispela seabed mining project em wanpela **FAILED** project we ibin costim PNG gavaman moa long K375m.
- 4. Prime Minister James Marape em ibin supportim call long putim MORATORIUM long seabed mining long wanpela miting bilong Pacific Islands Leaders forum long 2019 long Tuvalu
- 5. Tasol nau igat wanpela **niupela joint venture kampani** ikam insait nau na em baim off olgeta assests bilong Nautilus Minerals
- 6. Name bilong dispela joint venture kampani em Deep Sea Mining Finance Ltd na Sustainable Mining Solutions
- Long 04th October 2022 ibin gat wanpela miting bilong dispel niupela kampani wantaim Niu Ailan Provincial administration
- 8. Dispela niupela kampani em bai kam long ol komuniti long **Coastal Area of Benefits (CBA**) long kisim tingting bilong yumi long ples
- 9. Tingting na position bilong group Alliance of Solwara Warriors makim maus bilong ol manmeri long ples em long **CANCELIM ol license** bilong seabed mining insait long PNG
- 10. Dispela tingting na singaut ikam tu long ol kantri husat i no laikim seabed mining. Dispela ol kantri em Fiji, Samoa, Palau and the Federated States of Micronesia husat i joinim New Zealand, France, Germany, Spain, Costa Rica, Panama, Ecuador and Chile
- 11. PNG Council of Churches, Lutheran na Catholic Sios tru long Caritas i sanap wantaim olgeta lain long tok nogat long seabed mining. Dispela sapot em istap long taim Cardinal Sir John Ribat husat em ikam out klia pinis long ol bikpela program long toktok long stopim seabed mining.
- 12. Askim Local **MP, ward member na LLG President** bilong yu, wanem tingting bilong em long seabed mining
- 13. Dispela **toksave na ol updates** em long tok klia long wanem samting iwok kamap long toktok bilong seabed mining.
- 14. Mipela askim yupela olgeta long sanap strong na putim tingting wantaim long yumi wokbung long stopim dispela project bikos laif bilong yumi ol manmeri long nambis em i stap long solwara.
- 15. Solwara em garden na em isave lukautim yumi.
- 16. Sanap strong na yumi rausim dispela niupela kampani olsem tasol yumi rausim Nautilus Minerals.



Seabed Mining Update in PNG

- 1. PNG Government through **Conservation Protection Authority (CEPA)** gave Nautilus Minerals **Environmental permit** in **2008** and **Minerals Resource Authority (MRA)** gave the **mining license** in **2011**
- 2. Nautilus Minerals company was declared **bankrupt** in 2019 because there is a growing concern from Local, National, Regional and International stakeholders.
- 3. Former PM **Peter O'Neil** labeled the seabed mining project as a **Failed** project costing more than K375 from PNG Government
- 4. Prime Minister James Marape supported the call for a Moratorium in 2019 during the Pacific Island Leaders forum in Tuvalu
- 5. There is now a new **Joint Venture Company** that have bought off Nautilus Minerals Assets
- 6. These Joint Venture Company is known as Deep Sea Mining Finance Ltd and Sustainable Mining Solutions
- **7.** On the 04th of October the new Joint Venture Company met with the **New Ireland Provincial Administration**
- 8. This new company is planning for a consultation visit to the **Coastal Area of Benefits** (CBA)
- **9.** The stance of the Alliance of Solwara Warriors who have been representing the local communities is for the Cancellation of all Existing License
- 10. This call is supported by some of these countries who have made their stance clear to stop seabed mining. These countries are; Fiji, Samoa, Palau, Federated States of Micronesia, New Zealand, France, Germany, Spain, Costa Rica, Panama, Ecuador and Chile
- 11. The PNG Council of Churches, Lutheran and The Catholic Church Catholic through Caritas PNG has been calling for a Ban on Seabed Mining. This call has been supported by Cardinal Sir John Ribat who have been very vocal on this issue..
- 12. Ask your Local **MP**, ward member and LLG President about their stance on seabed Mining
- 13. This message is to keep you all abreast on the latest development surrounding the issue of seabed mining.
- 14. We humbly request you all to be stand in solidarity and put our thoughts together to stop this project because as Coastal Communities our livelihood depends on the sea.
- 15. The ocean and sea is our source of food, it is our garden that caters for our needs.
- 16. We must all stand in solidarity just like what we have done to remove Nautilus Minerals.