

The PacLII Workshop – 1st – 2nd October 2010

Papua New Guinea Report on
Use of PacLII

Access to Legal Information Activity Management Team (ALIAMT)

- NCM approved the establishment of a technical working group (AMT) in March 2005 to coordinate and look at sustainable ways to publish laws.
- A review was conducted by PacLII and the Blake report tabled at the NCM Meeting of March 2005.
- NCM approved strategy to publish in PacLII in March to use existing technology & staff to collect content, capture in electronic form, store & publish. (*A reflection of strong commitment both politically and administratively to publish online*)

Funding

- PNG benefited from AusAID through the PNGLJS
- Assisted agencies to implement systems & processes for publishing
- Assisted in technical training in the initial 3 years, monitoring & evaluation, PacLII training & publication of offline mediums of PacLII in the later years.
- Funded reviews & consultation by PacLII in PNG, 2 part time advisory support and 2 full time advisory support over the 5 years.

Access to Legal Information AMT Budget 2004-2008



Increased number of citation of legal information on PacLII

- 2010 requests by domain shows the top 40 sources of incoming traffic, including 3 large ISPs from PNG (*Table 1*)
- Amount of traffic relating to each of our national collections – PNG ranks first. Nearly a quarter of all hits landing in this section. (*Table 2*)

Source: PacLII Sent: Monday, September 27, 2010 5:03 PM

Table 1: 2010 requests by domain shows the top 40 sources of incoming traffic, including 3 large ISPs from PNG

Rank	Requests	GB	% Bandwidth	Network	Country/Entity	Crawler?
1	514,222	79.90	25.98%	67.195	US	y
2	301,167	25.50	8.29%	207.46	US	y
3	252,361	15.10	4.91%	93	FR	n
4	215,669	11.72	3.81%	66.249	US	y
5	206,222	5.41	1.76%	119	CN	y
6	182,694	6.49	2.11%	202.165	MY	y
7	170,086	5.47	1.78%	202.8	SG	n
8	160,224	5.08	1.65%	lexisnexus.com	US	n
9	159,299	5.56	1.81%	124	KR	n
10	147,332	2.93	0.95%	sb	SB	n
30	34,353	1.04	0.34%	41	ZA	n
31	33,746	1.29	0.42%	daltron.com.pg	PG	n
32	32,689	0.92	0.30%	unwired.com.fj	FJ	n
33	28,197	2.16	0.70%	online.net.pg	PG	n
34	27,897	1.12	0.36%	bigpond.net.au	AU	n
35	27,064	0.82	0.27%	115	KR	n
36	26,413	0.73	0.24%	125	JP	n
37	25,871	0.79	0.26%	60	CN	n
38	25,689	1.24	0.40%	global.net.pg	PG	n
39	24,308	1.35	0.44%	72	US	n
40	23,537	0.84	0.27%	86	GB	n

Table 2

rank	Hits	% Hits	% Bytes	directory
1	977190	14.02%	22.34%	PG
2	578117	8.30%	13.33%	VU
3	51347	0.74%	13.09%	PJDP
4	563833	8.09%	12.92%	FJ
5	569542	8.17%	7.88%	SEARCH
6	229766	3.30%	4.03%	SB
7	186377	2.67%	3.53%	TO
8	227843	3.27%	3.24%	WS
9	559833	8.03%	2.47%	HOME
10	162788	2.34%	2.33%	CK
11	612610	8.79%	2.17%	JSPL
12	135646	1.95%	1.69%	KI
13	189569	2.72%	1.43%	PITS
14	124283	1.78%	1.34%	MH
15	97464	1.40%	1.34%	NR
16	99280	1.42%	1.23%	NU
17	25541	0.37%	1.07%	OTHER
18	74887	1.07%	1.06%	TV
19	143864	2.06%	0.89%	HOME
20	30753	0.44%	0.56%	GATEWAY
21	14041	0.20%	0.30%	PN
22	26875	0.39%	0.30%	TK
23	1016436	14.59%	0.27%	IMAGES
26	21863	0.31%	0.15%	FM
28	7324	0.11%	0.12%	GU

The way forward for PNG

- PNG to maintain partnership with PacLII in publishing
- Be part of the multi jurisdiction database to allow users to do comparative legal research across all jurisdictions
- PacLII to continue publishing and each island countries to commit small grants annually to PacLII – that the relevant regional body should provide coordination