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MAIN PROGRAM STANDARDS AND INDUSTRIAL ADVANCEMENT SUPPORT
PROGRAM QUALITY CONTROL & MEASUREMENT OF GOODS & SERVICES

Program Objectives:

To upgrade and improve capacity of Metrology, Technical Standards, Quality Certification System, Laboratory Accreditation Scheme and PNG TBT Enquiry Point in accordance to the NISIT Act 1993 and WTO/TBT Agreement, whilst making substantial contribution to the growth of EPA-EU in area of Standards and Conformance and Metrology. Also enable market access for products and services in PNG of meeting standards of importing countries, and enable PNG products to be competitive in the world markets, which provide effective trade measurement system for significant economic benefits.

Program Description:

Provision of activities that will include the training of NISIT staff, engagement and procurement of experts assistance, procurement of testing and measurement standards equipment and institutional strengthening. This program is designed to assist NISIT develop the appropriate capabilities and capacity to enable NISIT support, commerce, trade and industrial development of Papua New Guinea. This program consists of one activity, the expenditure and other data of which are as follows:

A. Expenditure in 2006 (in Thousands of Kina)

Code	Description	Actual	Appropriation	
		2004	2005	2006
3903-1-101-143	National Institute Of Standards & Industrial Technology	763.6	870.1	1,356.7
	TOTAL	763.6	870.1	1,356.7

B. Other Data in 2006

- 1) Staffing 18: Managerial 2, Scientists 6, Engineers 5, Administrative 5.
- 2) Labourers: 1 Casual.
- 3) Vehicles: 3 Units.
- 4) Performance Indicators: Development of new markets; Improved quality; Fewer complaints; Improved human relations; Improved standardisation; More active use of statistical quality control, etc.
- 5) Revenue: Anticipating to collect K325,000 as internal revenue in 2006. This fund is earmarked to support the Graduate Training Programs and other operations including overseas Subscription Fees.

