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Solomon Islands Government Data and Digital Transformation Strategy

- 1. The Solomon Islands government has no national Digital governance Framework laws as yet.
- 2. Isolate efforts by different ministries. For example
 - A. National Cyber Security Policy (Min of Communication Aviation
 - B. National e-commerce strategy (Min of Commerce)
 - C. National Digital Transformation Strategy 2024—2029 (Min of Communication and Aviation)
- 3. Data and Digital Developments slowly progressing in isolation across ministries







- 1. Governments must employ a holistic, integrated approach in developing and implementing data/digital governance frameworks. What are some effective and successful pathways?
- i) Consultation among Ministries
- ii) Consultation with citizens
- iii) Identify Roles and Responsibilities and usage
- iv) Formulate frameworks that guide the processes of collecting, storing, standardizing, processing, using and consumption of data
- v) Build systems and technologies that fit for purpose







2. Is a whole-of-government framework approach to digital transformation necessary, feasible or sustainable? Why and why not?

Government establish and influences policies, laws ; Government is

- 1. data producer;
- 2. User
- 3. Regulator of data.
- 4. Government has responsibility to deliver government services through use of digital technologies.







• Is a multistakeholder or whole-of-society approach equally important? How can Governments better engage the private sector and civil society effectively in its digital agenda?

1.) Multi stakeholder or whole of society approach is critical component of Data and Digital Governance.

How to engage?

2) Consultation with stakeholders

3) Public Private Partnership for example Tower company limited and Solomon Telekom.







•How can peer-to-peer learning and twinning arrangements (i.e. institutional cooperation between countries) be better promoted for concrete outcomes and impacts?

Data and Digital Development is a process. It is not an event

Establish local, regional and international partnership arrangements

- 1. Start with local partnership for Example Ministry of Communication Aviation in Partnership with Ministry of Finance, then
- 2. Regional for example SI Public Service arrangement with Australian Public Service and then
- 3. At the International level country to country partnership with Multilateral organizations







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