

Obituary

The *APO News* regrets to announce the demise of APO Director for Mongolia Dr. Pagvajav-Un Shurchuluu, Chairman and CEO of the National Productivity and Development Center (NPDC), on 21 March 2009. He was the founder of the NPDC and had served as APO Director and Head of the NPO for Mongolia since 21 July 1992. He also served as APO Liaison Officer for Mongolia for more than 12 years until October 2004. His immense contributions to the APO and regional organizations were widely recognized, and he was the recipient of the APO National Award in 2000.