# APO News quiz

### **Dear Readers:**

This year we again feature a year-end quiz for a bit of fun while refreshing your memory of APO activities in 2009. Answers to the quiz questions can be found in 2009 issues of the *APO News*. Twenty winners will be decided in a lucky draw from among the entries with 100% correct answers. You must also complete the opinion survey to be eligible for the prizes of an APO bag and T-shirt. The quiz is open to all *APO News* readers, excluding APO Secretariat staff and family members. Only one entry per person is permitted, and all entries must reach the *APO News* by 10 February 2010.

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▶ Please circle ( ○ ) the letter before the correct answer.

1) The 51st Session of the Governing Body Meeting
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- a) Manila, Philippines
- b) Colombo, Sri Lanka
- c) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

### 2) Which is not the major role of the APO Center of Excellence (COE)?

- a) Identifying and sharing expertise
- b) Helping NPOs develop potential areas of excellence
- c) Focusing on self-improvement in the area of excellence

## 3) The theme of the EPIF 2009 held in the Philippines was:

- a) Sustainable Consumption, Sustainable Production, Sustainable Future
- b) Green Productivity to Enhance Competitiveness
- c) For Sustainable Development and Better Life

# 4) To which country did the APO send a study mission on knowledge management for business excellence?

- a) Sweden
- B) Australia
- C) Germany

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### 5) The APO expanded its two-tiered approach in order to:

- a) promote bilateral and multilateral alliances among NPOs
- b) generate greater multiplier effects
- c) provide technical assistance to NPOs for their capacity building

- 6) The Japan Productivity Center signed a Memorandum of Understanding on a future collaborative partnership on labor-management activities with:
  - a) Thailand Productivity Institute
  - b) Training and Productivity Authority of Fiji
  - c) Korea Productivity Center

### 7) The first manual published by the APO Agriculture Department was on:

- a) Food safety management
- b) Green tourism
- c) Integrated community development
- 8) In 2009, experts were sent to conduct field visits and interviews for project impact evaluation to how many APO member countries?
  - a) 4
  - b) 5
  - c) 6

### 9) The APO relaunched the self-e-learning course on:

- a) Energy efficiency
- b) Total quality management
- c) Balanced scorecard
- 10) Which was not a major task of the 50th WSM held in Manila, the Philippines?
  - a) Deciding the size of the budget for 2011–2012
  - b) Finalizing the APO program plan for 2010
  - c) Reviewing the proposed priority projects for 2011–2012

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