

APO/NPO Update

New APO Director for Sri Lanka

Mr. Mahinda Gammanampila, Secretary, Ministry of Employment and Labour, has been appointed the APO Director for Sri Lanka with effect from 1 February 2002 in place of Mr. S.C.Mannaperuma.

New Head of National Productivity Organization of India

Mr. B. N. Jha, IAS, has been appointed the Director General of the National Productivity Council of India in place of Mr. Mr. A. K. Goswami effective from 1 February 2002.

New Telephone Numbers of PSB, Singapore

As from 1 March 2002, Singapore will be adopting a new 8-digit format for phone numbering of fixed-line telephones/facsimiles. The new telephone and fax numbers of the Singapore Productivity and Standards Board will be 65-6278-6666 and 65-6278-6665.

Changes in APO Secretariat

Mr. Norimasa Matsuyama, Administration and Finance Officer, appointed as from 21 January 2002.

Mr. Naoto Yamamoto, re-designated Program Officer (Research & Planning) as from 21 January 2002.

Mr. Satoshi Okada, Program Officer (Information & Public Relations), appointed as from 1 February 2002.