



2021 ANNUAL MEETING

“STRENGTHENING GP NETWORKS”

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Green Purchasing High Lights

Sendai, Green Purchasing Declaration 1996

**IGPN Secretariat 1996: Japan and currently in China.
(Council members and Advisory Members)**

**GPN established by Japan (1995), Korea, China, Malaysia,
(Formal and informal Networks)**

**GPNs Working with National Entities to Promote Green Procurement
Second IGPN Secretariat established in Malaysia (project based)**

General Activities

World Conference on Green Purchasing, Suwon, Barcelona, Malaysia

Eco Product Exhibition

Partnership with UNEP, Eco-Procure etc

Linking EcoLabels and Green Purchasing



GREEN PURCHASING NETWORKS (GPNs)

- CHINA GPN (CGPN)
- IGP SECRETARIAT



- GPN JAPAN



- KOREA GPN (KGPN)



- GPN MALAYSIA (GPNM)



- THAILAND GPN (TGPN)



- GPN INDIA



- GPN VIETNAM



- GREEN PURCHASING ALLIANCE, (CHINESE TAIPEI)



- HONG KONG GREEN COUNCIL (CHINA HONG KONG)



- SINGAPORE ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL

- GREEN PURCHASING ALLIANCE PHILIPPINES



- ICLEI

- SWEDEN

- USA



Green Purchasing Network Practices

1.0 Diversity in green purchasing implementation

1.1 Market, private, business and public sector;

1.2 Different Stages of Implementation

1.2.1 Awareness raising

1.2.2 Policy support purchasing implementation

1.2.3 Technical development based on the purchasing cycle.

GPNs: Challenges and Barriers



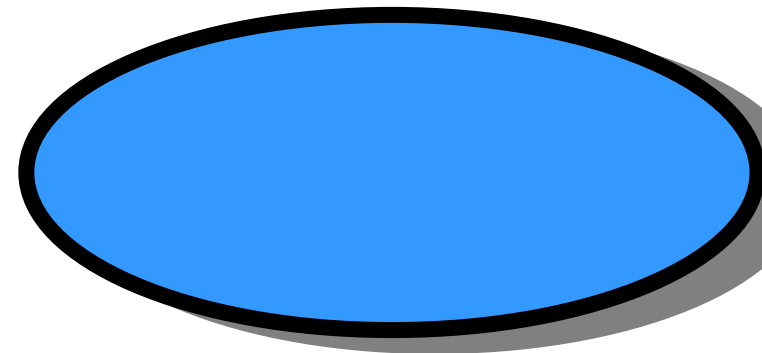
- **GPNs : some well established and others are still developing**
- **GPNs can be major bloc to change society**
- **Need long term plan to integrate GP into circular economy**

Strengthen GPNs: Proposals

**DEVELOP 2-5
YEAR PLANS**

**IMPLEMENT SPECIFIC
PROGRAMS FOR ALL GPNs**

**STRONGER AND WELL
ESTABLISHED GPN TO
ASSIST WEAKER GPNs**





SUGGESTED PROGRAMS

**ONLINE SHOPPING
GREEN CART/SHOPS**

**Awareness, Policy Support,
Purchasing Implementation,
technical development
(purchasing cycle)**

GP AWARDS

**ECOLABELS AND
GP**

**CERTIFICATION
OF PROCURERS**

OTHERS.....

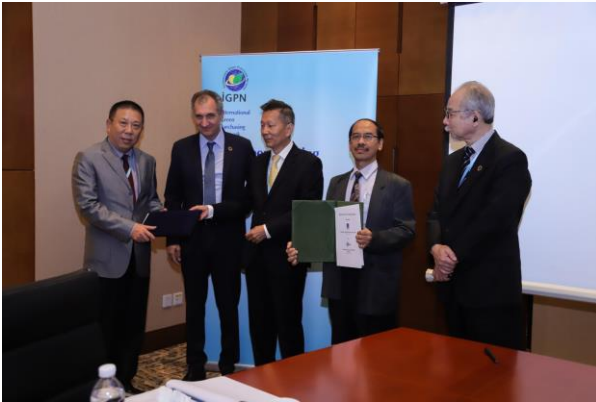
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**Certification and Training of Green Procurers
Between IGPN Berhad and SIRIM QAS Sdn Bhd**

**Public & Private Procurement Officers:
CAPACITY AND CAPABILITY BUILDING**

**COLLABORATION WITH
OTHER AGENCIES : UNEP**



Thank You

