



# Royal Solomon Islands Police Force

## Media Release

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### **Premier Sagupari welcomes CPLT and RSIPF during a visit to CP**

The Honourable (Hon) Premier Kenneth Sagupari of Central Province (CP) warmly welcomed the China Police Liaison Team (CPLT) and the Royal Solomon Island Police Force (RSIPF) delegation during a police cooperation visit to Central Islands Province recently.

In a three-day visit to CP, CPLT, and RSIPF, they provided various police training sessions, conducted community visits, and delivered donations of essential materials.

Hon. Sagupari praised the strong relationship between China and the Solomon Islands. He highlighted that the provincial government firmly supports the "One China" principle and recognized CPLT's efforts in strengthening local law enforcement and contributing to the region's stability.

Provincial Police Commander (PPC) CP Supercontinent David Soakai expressed his gratitude for the training provided by CPLT, noting how it significantly enhanced the capabilities of local police officers. The ongoing collaboration plays a vital role in improving the effectiveness of law enforcement in the province.

During the criminal investigation training, CPLT focused on practical skills essential for local officers, covering crime scene investigation, evidence handling, and AI-based fraud prevention. The hands-on approach allowed officers to engage directly in activities such as crime scene sketching and fingerprint extraction, which are crucial for their everyday work.

In addition, CPLT, together with RSIPF's National Crime Prevention Department (NCPD), offered specialized training to 16 Crime Prevention Committee (CPC) representatives from 8 local communities.

The training covered topics like crime prevention strategies, conflict resolution, and patrol-based crime control, equipping community leaders with the tools needed to better manage local security.

The delegation also visited five remote outer-island communities—Horroro, Toga, Haleta, Halavo, and Ha'a—despite the heavy rainfall. They met with local leaders and residents to conduct an awareness-raising program. During the visit they donated essential items such as uniforms, solar lamps, and emergency power supplies to help improve the living conditions of the residents.

Throughout the visit, the delegation was warmly received by the local community, who expressed their appreciation through traditional hospitality, including a feast with roasted pig.

The visit left a lasting impression, with a 105-year-old elder in an outer-island village specially coming out to express gratitude for the support rendered.

As the delegation departed, local residents gathered at the wharf to bid them farewell, symbolizing the strong and enduring friendship between the people of China and the Solomon Islands.

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Group photo of the opening ceremony in front of the Tulagi police station



Front-right, the Honourable (Hon) Premier Kenneth Sagupari of Central Province (CP) meets with CPLT Commissioner (front-left) Mr. Liu Shenghuang.

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The Royal Solomon Islands Police Force (RSIPF) was established in 1954. Its mission is 'To provide a safe and peaceful Solomon Islands by strengthening relationships with the community'. The RSIPF strive to provide efficient and effective policing services for the Solomon Islands and expect RSIPF officers to adhere to the RSIPF values.

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Left-Hon. Premier Honorable Premier Kenneth Sagupari of Central Province receives donated items from CPLT Commissioner Mr. Liu Shenghuang.



Officials meeting with the Hon. Premier of Central Province during the visit



Far right, Provincial Police Commander Central Province Superintendent David Soakai gives his remarks during the official opening ceremony.



Centre-CPLT Commissioner Mr. Liu Shenghuang delivers his remarks during the opening ceremony.



Group photo of CPLT and RSIPF with the local people in one of the communities in Central province



A female CPLT member interacts with a community member during their community visit in Central Province.



Right—A CPLT member interacts with local children during the visit to one of the communities in Central Province.



A CPLT member with locals listening during a talk in one of the communities in Central Province



Centre-A CPLT member with local kids in one of the communities in Central Province



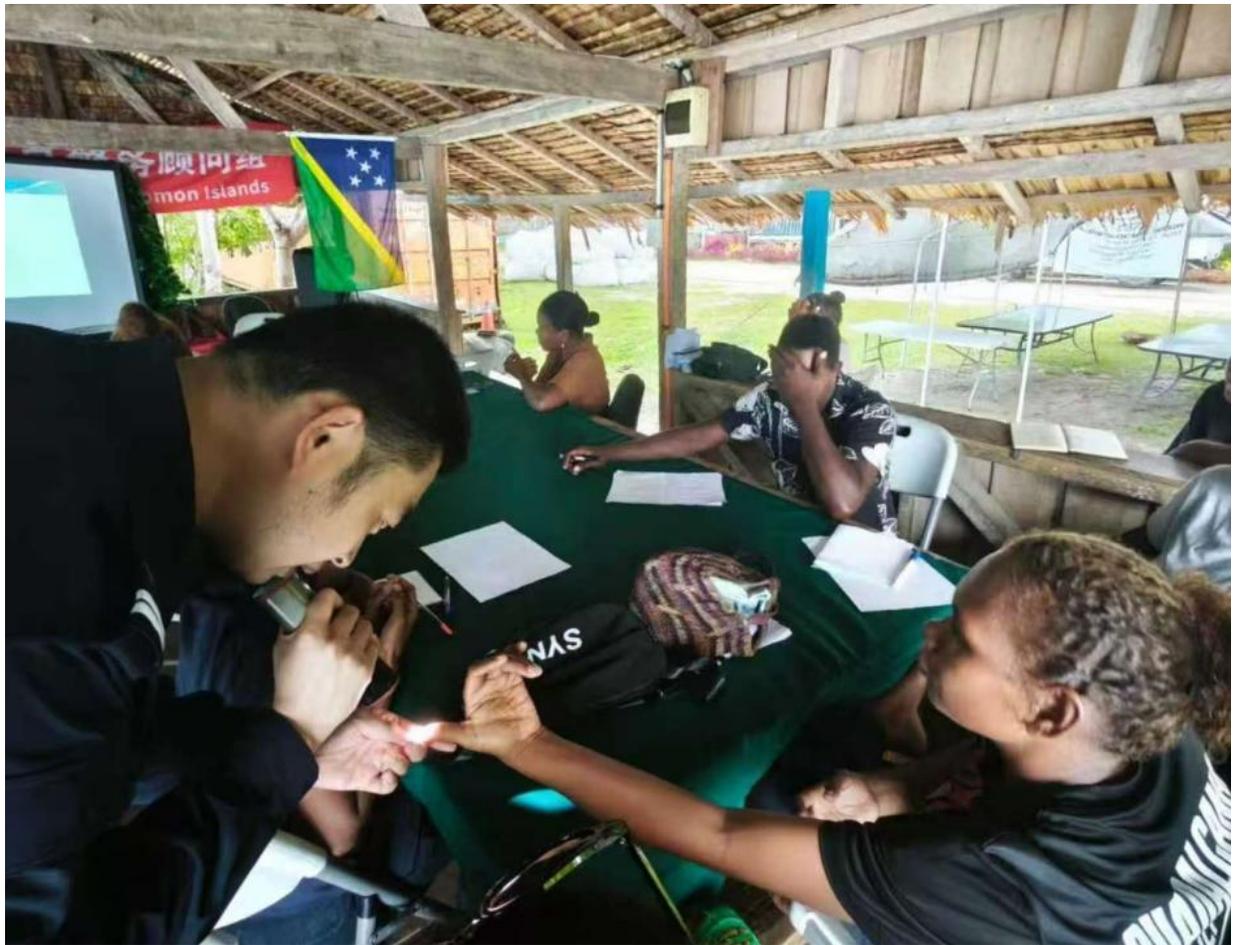
CPLT and RSIPF go deep into the village as part of the visit to the local communities in Central Province.



Left—A CPLT female officer conducts training for the Crime Prevention Committee (CPC) in Central Province.



An RSIPF officer from the National Crime Prevention Department (NCPD) conducts training for the Crime Prevention Committee (CPC) in Central Province.



Left—A CPLT officer demonstrates evidence collection skills during the investigation training for RSIPF officers in Central Province.



A group photo after the closing program of crime investigation in Central Province