APO/NPO Update

New APO Alternate Director for Bangladesh

Mr. Zamirul Akhtar, new Director of the National Productivity Organisation, has been appointed the APO Alternate Director for Bangladesh with effect from 28 January 2002 in place of Mr. Md. Shahidul Hoque.

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 APO Director for the Republic of Korea

Mr. Hee-Beom Lee, new Chairman and CEO of the Korea Productivity Center, has been appointed the APO Director for the Republic of Korea with effect from 26 February 2002 in place of Mr. Joon Ho Han.

SPRING, New Name for Singapore PSB

As from 1 April 2002, the Singapore Productivity and Standards Board will be called the Standards, Productivity and Innovation Board or SPRING Singapore. This acronym also stands for Standards, Productivity and Innovation for Growth.