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NOTIFICATION

**Subject: Access and Benefit-sharing: Meeting of the Group of Technical Experts on an
internationally recognized certificate of origin/source/legal provenance**

Dear Madam/Sir,

Further to Notification number 2006-104 dated 3 October 2006 in regard to the meeting of the
Group of Technical Experts on an internationally recognized certificate of origin/source/legal provenance,
to be held from 22 to 25 January 2007 in Lima, Peru, I am pleased to inform you that the following
documents are now available on the Secretariat's web site at:
http://www.biodiv.org/doc/meeting.aspx?mtg=ABSGTE-01:

UNEP/CBD/GTE-ABS/1/1   Provisional Agenda;

UNEP/CBD/GTE-ABS/1/1/Add.1   Annotated Provisional Agenda;

UNEP/CBD/GTE-ABS/1/2   Consideration of an internationally recognized
                                             certificate of origin/source/legal provenance: Note
                                             by the Executive Secretary;

UNEP/CBD/GTE-ABS/1/3   Compilation of Submissions Provided by Parties,
                                             Governments, Indigenous and Local Communities,
                                             International Organizations and Relevant
                                             Stakeholders Regarding an Internationally
                                             Recognized Certificate of Origin/Source/Legal
                                             Provenance;

UNEP/CBD/GTE-ABS/1/3/Add. 1   Compilation of Submissions Provided by Parties,
                                             Governments, Indigenous and Local Communities,
                                             International Organizations and Relevant
                                             Stakeholders Regarding an Internationally
                                             Recognized Certificate of Origin/Source/Legal
                                             Provenance, Addendum;

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UNEP/CBD/GTE-ABS/1/3/Add. 2   Compilation of Submissions Provided by Parties, Governments, Indigenous and Local Communities, International Organizations and Relevant Stakeholders Regarding an Internationally Recognized Certificate of Origin/Source/Legal Provenance, Addendum.

I thank you for your continued support to the Convention.

Please accept, Madam/Sir the assurances of my highest consideration.

Ahmed Djoghlaf
Executive Secretary