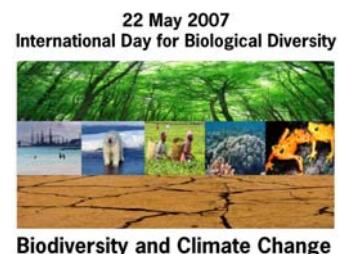




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NOTIFICATION

**Subject: Documents for the twelfth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific,
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(SBSTTA 12)**

UNESCO Headquarters, Paris, France - 2-6 July 2007

Dear Madam/Sir,

I wish to inform you that all the pre-session documents for the SBSTTA-12 meeting are now available in final form, in all U.N. official languages, on the Secretariat website at: <http://www.cbd.int/doc/meeting.aspx?mtg=SBSTTA-12>. Further background information about the meeting will be made available, as soon as finalized, at: <http://www.cbd.int/doc/meeting.aspx?mtg=SBSTTA-12&tab=1>.

I wish to thank Parties that contributed to the review of the drafts of the SBSTTA documents. Please note that, with a view of reducing the environmental impact of the Convention's processes, only one set of documents per delegation will be made available at the meeting venue. Delegations are therefore strongly encouraged to bring their own set of documents, which can be downloaded from the Secretariat's website.

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

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Executive Secretary

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