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**NOTIFICATION**

**Re: Fourth meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Inter-sessional Working Group on Article 8(j) and Related Provisions - Granada, Spain, 23 to 27 January 2006  
&  
Fourth meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Access and Benefit-sharing - Granada, Spain, 30 January to 3 February 2006**

I have the honour to refer to Notification 2005-123, dated 16 November 2005, regarding financial assistance to indigenous and local community participants in the Fourth meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Inter-sessional Working Group on Article 8(j) and Related Provisions and the Fourth meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Access and Benefit-sharing, to be held in Granada, Spain from 23 to 27 January and from 30 January to 3 February 2006, respectively.

I am pleased to inform Parties that the selection of funded participants to the above-mentioned meetings has been completed. The selection was made on the basis of expertise, equitable geographic representation and gender balance. A list of selected participants is contained in Annex 1.

Accept, Madam/Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Hamdallah Zedan  
Executive Secretary

To: Indigenous and local community organizations



## Annex 1

### List of selected participants

#### Advisory Group Members

1. Mr. Alejandro Argumedo, Peru.
2. Mr. Gladman Chibememe, Zimbabwe.
3. Ms. Haman Hajara, Cameroon.
4. Ms. Marianne Jensen, Denmark.
5. Ms. Erjen Khamaganova, Russia.
6. Ms. Jannie Lasimbang, Malaysia.
7. Mr. Andres Madariaga, Argentina.
8. Ms. Lucy Mullenkei, Kenya.
9. Mr. Mindahi Crescencio Bastida Muñoz, Mexico.
10. Ms. Esther Camac Ramirez, Costa Rica.
11. Mr. Stephen Schnierer, Australia.

#### Consultants

12. Mr. Glen Kelly, Australia.
13. Ms. Neva Danielle Collings, Australia.
14. Mr. Gonzalo Oviedo, IUCN/Ecuador.
15. Ms. Peigi Wilson, Canada.

#### Indigenous and local communities

16. Mr. Vladimir Bocharnikov, RAIPON, Russia.
17. Mr. Estebancio Castro, International Indian Treaty Council, USA.
18. Mr. Albert DeTerville, The Aldet Centre-Saint Lucia, Saint Lucia.
19. Ms. Hortencia Hidalgo Caceres, Consejo Autonomo Aymara, Chile.
20. Ms. Viviana Figueroa, Comunidad Indigenas Ocumazo, Argentina.
21. Ms. Amoul Kinni Ghaichatou, Association Tara. (Touareg Community), Niger.
22. Ms. Le a Malia Kanehe Indigenous Peoples Council on Biocolonialism, Hawaii, USA.
23. Mr. Heraclio Herrera, Fundación Dobbo-Yala, Panama.
24. Ms. Agnes Lox, Concern Women Action for Peace, Sudan.
25. Ms. Aroha te Pareake Mead, Call of the Earth, New Zealand.
26. Mr. Kapupu DIwa Mutimanwa, Nationale des Associations Autochtones Pygmees, DR Congo.
27. Mr. Adam Ole Mwarabu Parakuiyo, Tanzania.
28. Ms. Celina Justina Iris del Carpio Vásquez, Organización Regional de la Mujer Indígena para el Desarrollo, Peru.
29. Ms. Maria Eugenia Choque Quispe, CEM-Aymara, Bolivia.
30. Mr. Jacob Nellithanam, Centre for Indigenous Farming Systems, India.
31. Mr. Santiago Obispo, Red de Cooperación Amazónica (REDCAM), Venezuela.
32. Mr. Olisarali Olibui, Mursi Tribe, Ethiopia.
33. Mr. Sadka Saen, Inter Mountain Peoples Education and Culture in Thailand Association (IMPECT), Thailand
34. Mr. Jacob Simet, Indigenous expert, Papua New Guinea.
35. Mr. Marcos Terena, Presidente/Comite Intertribal (ITC), Brazil
36. Mr. Vellorimo Suminguit, Pegsalabuhan Subanen sa Lakewood Association, Philippines.
37. Mr. Parshuram Tamang UNPFII, Nepal.
38. Ms. Maria Yolanda Teran, Andes Chinchasuyo, Ecuador