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**NOTIFICATION
REMINDER**

Designation of a National Focal Point for the Programme of Work on Protected Areas

Dear Madam/Sir,

With reference to paragraph A 21 of decision IX/18, Parties were requested to designate a National Focal Point for the Programme of Work on Protected Areas (PoWPA-NFP) vide original notification 2008-124 dated 23 September 2008 (also translated into Spanish <https://www.cbd.int/doc/notifications/2008/ntf-2008-124-pa-es.pdf> and into French <https://www.cbd.int/doc/notifications/2008/ntf-2008-124-pa-fr.pdf>), and reminder notifications 2009-053 of 13 May 2009, 2009-079 of 9 July 2009, 2009-170 of 12 December 2009, 2010-109 of 2 June 2010, 2010-129 of 2 July 2010, and 2010-151 of 3 August 2010.

As of today, 151 PoWPA-NFPs have been nominated and I extend my sincere appreciation to those Parties. The list of PoWPA-NFPs is available on the Secretariat website at <https://www.cbd.int/doc/lists/nfp-cbd-powpa.pdf>.

In order to facilitate communication and improve capacity for PoWPA implementation in all regions, Parties that have not yet nominated a PoWPA-NFP (listed in Annex) are kindly reminded to do so by providing the name, contact details and *curriculum vitae* of the nominee to the Secretariat (secretariat@cbd.int) in the briefest of delays and **before 15 March 2011**.

I thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter, and for your continued support of the work of the Convention.

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

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Executive Secretary

To: CBD National Focal Points of Parties without a PoWPA Focal Point



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Annex

List of CBD Parties without a National Focal Point
for the Programme of Work on Protected Areas

Armenia	Maldives
Bahamas	Malta
Bangladesh	Marshall Islands
Barbados	Mauritius
Brunei Darussalam	Namibia
Burkina Faso	Nauru
Chad	Oman
Congo	Papua New Guinea
Cyprus	Paraguay
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	Portugal
Denmark	Qatar
Djibouti	Russian Federation
Dominica	Saint Kitts and Nevis
El Salvador	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Equatorial Guinea	San Marino
Eritrea	Sao Tome and Principe
Gabon	Senegal
Georgia	Singapore
Ghana	Slovakia
Greece	Somalia
Iceland	Switzerland
Jordan	The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
Kazakhstan	Tunisia
Kiribati	Turkmenistan
Lao People's Democratic Republic	Vanuatu
Lesotho	Zimbabwe
Malaysia	