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NOTIFICATION

Selected indigenous and local community representatives to receive funding for participation in the Latin America and the Caribbean Regional Indigenous and Local Community preparatory meeting for the eleventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the CBD (13-16 August) and the Regional Workshop for Indigenous, and the Local Community Trainers of the Latin American and the Caribbean Region on Articles 8(j), 10(c), and related provisions of the CBD and Nagoya Protocol on ABS (17-18 August) - Asuncion, Paraguay

Dear Madam/Sir,

I am writing in connection with the Latin America and the Caribbean Regional Indigenous and Local Community preparatory meeting for the eleventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the CBD and the Regional Workshop for Indigenous and the Local Community Trainers of the Latin American and the Caribbean Region on Articles 8(j), 10(c), and related provisions of the CBD and Nagoya Protocol on ABS, to be held respectively on 13-16 August and 17-18 August 2012, in Asuncion, Paraguay, with the generous financial support of the Governments of Spain and Japan, and the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) through the GEF LAC Project on ABS.

I am pleased to inform you that, after due consideration of all nominations received, the selection of participants of indigenous and local communities from Latin America and the Caribbean region to receive financial assistance in support of their participation has been completed.

The selection was carried out in partnership with the Indigenous Women's Biodiversity Network-LAC (IWBN-LAC) with due regard to fair and equitable sub-regional representation and gender balance. The list of beneficiaries of financial assistance is attached as Annex. The selected participants will be contacted directly by the Secretariat with regard to travel arrangements.

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

Braulio Ferreira de Souza Dias
Executive Secretary

To: CBD and ICNP Focal Points, Indigenous and local communities, and International organizations.

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Annex

Selected indigenous and local community representatives to receive funding for participation in the Latin America and the Caribbean Regional Indigenous and Local Community preparatory meeting for the eleventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the CBD, 13 to 16 August 201,

and the

Regional Workshop for Indigenous, and the Local Community Trainers of Latin American and the Caribbean Region on Articles 8(j), 10(c), and related provisions of the CBD and the Nagoya Protocol on ABS, 16 to 17 August 2012, in Asuncion, Paraguay

	Country	**Name**	**Organisation**	**COP 11 Workshop 13-16 August**	**Trainers Workshop 17-18 August**
1.	Argentina	Maria Olga Curipan	Comunidad Ruka Kimun Mapuche	Funded	Funded
2.	Bolivia	Antonio Q'apaj Conde Choque	Centro de Estudios Multidisciplinarios Aymara	Funded	Not Funded
3.	Bolivia	Carmen Miranda	ICCA Consortium	Funded	Not Funded
4.	Brazil	Diana Nascimento	Conservation International	Funded	Funded
5.	Brazil	Lourdes Laureano	Articulación Pacari	Funded	Funded
6.	Chile	Hortencia Hidalgo Cáceres	Consejo Autónomo Aymara	Funded	Funded
7.	Chile	Valeria Aurora Pakarati Troncoso	Asociación Indígena Rapa Nui Pakarati	Funded	Not Funded
8.	Colombia	Hernando Chindoy Chindoy	Organización Tribunal de Pueblos y Autoridades Indígenas del Sur Occidente Colombiano	Funded	Funded
9.	Colombia	Alba Alicia Rosero	Organización Indígena para la Investigación: Tierra y Vida	Funded	Funded
10.	Colombia	Alba Lucia Castañeda Vélez	Corporación Red Nacional de Mujeres Comunales, Comunitarias, Indígenas y Campesinas de la República de Colombia	Funded	Funded
11.	Colombia	Narcisa Ramos Bautista	Organización Nacional Indígena de Colombia (ONIC)	Funded	Funded
12.	Colombia	Belkis Florentina Izquierdo Torres	Comisión Técnica de la Mesa Permanente de Concertación de Colombia	Funded	Funded
13.	Costa Rica	Ana Iris Elizondo Maroto	Asociación de Desarrollo del Territorio de Boruca	Funded	Funded
14.	Ecuador	Iza Anguisaca Susana Elizabeth	Coordinadora Andina de Organizaciones Indígenas (CAOI)	Funded	Funded
15.	Ecuador	Yolanda Teran	Andes Chinchasuyu	Funded	Funded
16.	Ecuador	Janeth Nelly Cuji Gualinga	Federación de Organizaciones de la Nacionalidad Kichua de	Funded	Funded

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	Country	**Name**	**Organization**	**COP 11 Workshop 13-16 August**	**Trainers Workshop 17-18 August**
17.	Ecuador	Maria Dolores Vera	Red Internacional del Manglar	Funded	Funded
18.	Guatemala	Dolores Cabnal	Asociación SOTZIL	Funded	Funded
19.	Guyana	Ronella Hill-Wharton	Justice Institute Guyana Inc.	Funded	Funded
20.	Honduras	Jairo Wood Granwell	Consejo Territorial Indígena de Brus Laguna de la Biosfera de Rio Plata, DIUNAT/MASTA	Funded	Not Funded
21.	México	Maria Anabela Flores	Mujeres Yaquis Jamut Boo'o A.C	Funded	Not Funded
22.	México	Daniela Juárez	Red de Turismo Indígena de México (RITA)	Funded	Funded
23.	México	Melquisedec Gonzáles Juárez	Secretaria del Medio Ambiente - Dirección de Pueblos Indígenas	Funded	Not Funded
24.	Nicaragua	Cynthia Marie Miguel Downs	Consejo Regional Autónomo de la Costa Atlántica de Nicaragua	Funded	Not Funded
25.	Panamá	Deidamia López Smith	Organización de las Mujeres Indígenas Unidas por la Biodiversidad de Panamá	Funded	Funded
26.	Panamá	Florina López Miro	Red de Mujeres Indígenas sobre Biodiversidad	Funded	Funded
27.	Panamá	Mary Acosta Pinilla	Fundación Ngäbe-Bugle	Funded	Funded
28.	Panamá	Nis Niskidili Porras Iglesias	Grupo J.O.V.E.N.	Funded	Funded
29.	Paraguay	Leonarda Duarte	Organización Uchiguinaire kot-Ache	Funded	Funded
30.	Paraguay	Orlando Gómez	Red de Comunicadores del Chaco	Funded	Funded
31.	Paraguay	Laurentina Santacruz	Organización de Mujeres Trabajadoras Nivacle	Funded	Funded
32.	Paraguay	Crescencio Cáceres	Consejo de Pueblos Indígenas del Chaco Paraguayo	Funded	Funded
33.	Perú	Zenón Porfidio Gómez Apaza	Asociación Savia Andina Pukara	Funded	Not Funded
34.	Perú	Luz Marina Mamani Martinez	Organización Pueblo Quechua Perú	Funded	Funded
35.	Saint Lucia	Lindy-Ann Alexander	Folk Research Centre	Funded	Funded
36.	Surinam	Louis Biswane	Association of Kalina and Lokono Peoples in Marowjine	Funded	Not Funded
37.	Uruguay	Miguel Pereira	Mundo Afro	Funded	Not Funded
38.	Venezuela	Nicolas Bettis Gomez	Coordinadora de Organización indígenas de la Indígenas de la Cuenca	Funded	Funded

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