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NOTIFICATION

**Twentieth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA 20), 25 to 30 April 2016
and
First meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation (SBI 1), 2 to 6 May 2016
Montreal, Canada**

Dear Madam/Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the twentieth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA 20) will be held from 25 to 30 April 2016, and the first meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation (SBI 1) will be held from 2 to 6 May 2016, in Montreal, Canada, at the Headquarters of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO).

The pre-session and other relevant documentation for these meetings, as well as the Information Note for Participants, will be made available in due course, at the following respective webpages: <https://www.cbd.int/doc/?meeting=SBSTTA-20> and <https://www.cbd.int/doc/?meeting=SBI-01>.

In view of your organization's interest in the issues being addressed by the SBSTTA 20 and the SBI 1 bodies, I have the honour of inviting your organization to participate in these meetings. Please advise the Secretariat of the name(s) and coordinates of your organization's representative(s) to these meetings. Kindly note that the designation of representative(s) should be submitted to the CBD Executive Secretary through an official letter sent as a scanned e-mail attachment to: secretariat@cbd.int or by fax at +1 514-288-6588, preferably by **20 March 2016**.

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

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To: UN Organizations and Specialized Agencies, IGOs, NGOs and Indigenous Organizations



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