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NOTIFICATION

Peer review of *Outlooks on Biodiversity: Indigenous Peoples' and Local Communities' Contributions to the Implementation of the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020*

Dear Madam/Sir,

In decision XII/1 the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity encouraged Parties, other Governments and relevant organizations, as appropriate, to take steps to disseminate widely the fourth edition of the Global Biodiversity Outlook and its findings, including by translating the report into local languages and producing other appropriate communication products for different stakeholders and making them publicly available.

In response to the above decision, the Forest Peoples Programme, together with members of the International Indigenous Forum on Biodiversity, and in collaboration with the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity, has prepared the report “Outlooks on Biodiversity: Indigenous Peoples’ and Local Communities’ Contributions to the Implementation of the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-2020”. The report is being made available as a draft for peer review. The draft report, as well as a template for providing review comments, is accessible from <https://www.cbd.int/cop13/review/default.shtml>. An earlier version of this report was made available for information of delegates to the first meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Implementation.

Comments on the report should be sent to the Forest Peoples Programme (biodiversity@forestpeoples.org) as soon as possible and no later than **11 September 2016**.

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

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To: CBD, SBSTTA and TK Focal Points, indigenous peoples and local community organizations and relevant organizations



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