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## NOTIFICATION

Postponement of the Thematic Consultation on Area-based Conservation Measures for the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework

Dear Madam/Sir,

Further to notification 2019-061 dated 17 July 2019, I am writing to inform you that, due to unforeseen circumstances, the Secretariat has decided to postpone the thematic consultation that was scheduled to be held from 1 to 3 October 2019, in Dushanbe, Tajikistan.

The Secretariat regrets any inconvenience that may result from this postponement and conveys its appreciation to those Parties and organizations who submitted their nominations in time.

A notification will be sent once information on new dates and venue have been identified.

I thank you for your cooperation and sustained support to the Convention, as well as your contribution towards progress on the elements of Aichi Target 11 and, in general, area-based conservation.

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

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To: CBD National Focal Points; PoWPA Focal Points; SBSTTA Focal Points; Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities; Relevant Organizations; Bi-lateral and Multilateral Funding Agencies



