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NOTIFICATION

REMINDER

Submission of Nominations and Credentials for the

Second extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity,

First extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety, and the

First extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization

16-19 November 2020, Montreal

Dear Madam/Sir,

Reference is made to notification 2020-073 with regard to the convening of the second extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity, the first extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety, and the first extraordinary meeting of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol on Access and Benefit-sharing, which will be held remotely and concurrently on 16-19 November 2020.

We thank those Parties that have already sent their nomination letters and credentials for the meetings. This is a kind reminder to those who have not yet done so, to send their official letter of nomination for the meetings, addressed to the Executive Secretary, as soon as possible but no later than **9 November 2020**.

Representatives of Parties are also reminded to submit credentials in accordance with rule 18 of the rules of procedure for meetings of the Conference of the Parties, which also apply, mutatis mutandis, to the meetings of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena and Nagoya Protocols. Information on requirements and modalities of the submission of credentials, including sample formats, is available at: <https://www.cbd.int/doc/notifications/2020/ntf-2020-064-extracop-en.pdf>. The credentials should be sent to the Secretariat as soon as possible but no later than **12 November 2020**.

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

Elizabeth Maruma Mrema
Executive Secretary

To: CBD National Focal Points, Cartagena Protocol Focal Points, Nagoya Protocol Focal Points

