



## NOTIFICATION

### **Extension of deadline: Invitation to governments and organizations to submit information on implementing or funding biosafety capacity-building activities, and request to Parties to review national records published in BCH**

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing with regard to [notification 2025-001](#), dated 3 January 2025, which invited Parties, other Governments and relevant organizations to submit information on implementing or funding biosafety capacity-building activities.

I would like to thank Parties and organizations that have submitted information on capacity-building activities and invite those that have not yet done so to submit information as soon as possible. I am also pleased to announce that the deadline for submissions has been extended to **31 March 2025**.

The information on capacity-building activities should be submitted through the Biosafety Clearing-House (BCH) using the Submission (SUB) common format accessible at the following link: <https://bch.cbd.int/en/register/SUB/new>. Full instructions on how to upload submissions are provided [here](#).

In the same notification mentioned above, Parties were also requested to review national records published in the BCH. I would like to thank Parties that have done the review and remind those who have not yet done so to review their national records in the BCH and make any necessary updates.

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

*(Signed)* Astrid Schomaker  
Executive Secretary

To: Cartagena Protocol national focal points, BCH focal points, relevant organizations