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Respetado señor Secretario:

En primera instancia, sea esta la oportunidad para extenderle un especial saludo de felicitación por su nombramiento como Secretario Ejecutivo del Convenio. Le deseamos los mayores éxitos y ofrecemos nuestro más amplio respaldo para apoyarlo en su gestión que es un orgullo para los países de América Latina y el Caribe.

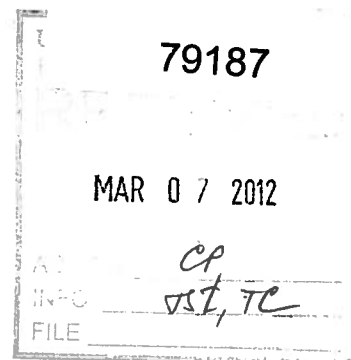
En esta ocasión me permito hacer referencia a la nota SCBD/STTM/DC/TC/JSt/78516 del 19 de enero de 2012, mediante la cual se solicitan expresiones de interés para participar en una alianza colaborativa sobre manejo sostenible de vida silvestre, tengo el honor de informar a usted que el Instituto Alexander von Humboldt considera de la mayor relevancia esta iniciativa y por lo anterior se permite remitir el cuestionario solicitado, esperando ser parte activa en dicho proceso.

Cordialmente,

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Questionnaire for the expression of interest for participating in a collaborative partnership on sustainable wildlife management

1. What are your expectations for a collaborative partnership on sustainable wildlife management (with a focus on supporting developing countries in implementing the recommendations of the CBD Liason Group on Bushmeat)?

To identify and develop projects focus on the relationship between bushmeat and food security.

To identify livelihoods projects and community experiences to improve local governance.

To study at national level, the regulatory framework for wildlife use as livelihoods.

2. What are key experiences of your organization in sustainable wildlife management at global, regional and national level?

The Alexander von Humboldt Institute is the biodiversity scientific and technical support of the Ministry of Environment of Colombia and coordinates the Cites Scientific Authorities.

As the National Research Institute in charge of the coordination and promotion of the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity in Colombia, we have had many experiences in multiples initiatives and projects that are related with the sustainable wildlife management either coordinating or carrying out those research projects or initiatives.

Some of the documents developed by the Humboldt Institute on this matter are:

- Ecology research of Capybara (*Hydrochoerus hydrochaeris*) Focused on its management and Sustainable Use in Colombia.
- Colombia Technical Review document on Fauna Use with emphasis on bushmeat

3. Which organizational format would you suggest for a possible partnership on sustainable wildlife management? (please cite examples of other international partnerships, if possible)

We suggest that the most appropriated format could be a Memorandum of Understanding such as the one between the Secretariat and the Consortium on Scientific Partnership (CSP).

4. Which resources could you contribute to partnership, if any?

Our resources will be represented in scientific and technical support, and the time and dedication of our researchers.



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19 January 2012

NOTIFICATION

Soliciting expressions of interest for participating in a collaborative partnership on sustainable wildlife management

Dear Madam/Sir,

I am pleased to solicit expressions of interest for participating in a collaborative partnership on sustainable wildlife management, pursuant to recommendation XV/6 of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice (SBSTTA).

As you are aware, in recommendation XV/6, SBSTTA requests the Executive Secretary to explore options for the development of a collaborative partnership on sustainable wildlife management to enhance cooperation and coordination for implementation of the recommendations of the Liaison Group on Bushmeat, and to report to the Conference of the Parties at its eleventh meeting.

Based on the current definition of bushmeat, the thematic scope of a collaborative partnership on sustainable wildlife management would be on sustainable harvesting of wild animals in tropical and sub-tropical countries for food and for non-food purposes, including for medicinal use (UNEP/CBD/LG-Bushmeat/2/4).

I invite you to submit an expression of interest to the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity at your earliest convenience (secretariat@cbd.int), but prior to the end of the eleventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties, to be held in Hyderabad, India, from 8 to 19 October 2012. In submitting your expression of interest, I kindly request that you make use of the attached questionnaire.

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

Ahmed Djoghlaif
Executive Secretary

To: Relevant organizations



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1. What are your expectations for a collaborative partnership on sustainable wildlife management (with a focus on supporting developing countries in implementing the recommendations of the CBD Liaison Group on Bushmeat)?
2. What are key experiences of your organization in sustainable wildlife management at global, regional and national level?
3. Which organizational format would you suggest for a possible partnership on sustainable wildlife management? (Please cite examples of other international partnerships, if possible).
4. Which resources could you contribute to the partnership, if any?