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INFORMATION NOTE

COP 24 BUREAU EVENT – “25 YEARS OF THE UNFCCC” 21 September 2019, New York

On behalf of the President of the Conference of the Parties at its Twenty-Fourth session, Mr. Michał Kurtyka, the secretariat would like to inform Parties and observer States to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement that the COP 24 Bureau will be convening a side event on the margins of the 2019 Climate Action Summit entitled “25 Years of UNFCCC”. The event will be held on Saturday, 21 September 2019, from 14:00 to 15:30 in Conference Room 11 of the United Nations Headquarters building in New York.

The focus of the event will be on the 25 years of the work of the UNFCCC, and to discuss the way forward, acknowledging the efforts made by Parties and other stakeholders to establish a solid foundation to address climate change.

Additional information on the event can be found on the UNFCCC website at <https://unfccc.int/news/unfccc-bureau-side-event-25-years-of-the-unfccc>.

The COP 24 President and members of the Bureau look forward to welcoming Ministers, Permanent Representatives and any other representatives who will be in New York at the time to this special event.



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