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NOTIFICATION

Arctic regional gathering under the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform

02-05 October 2023, Kirkenes, Norway

I am pleased to notify constituencies of admitted non-governmental organizations (NGOs) to the Convention, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement that the **Arctic regional gathering under the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform (LCIPP)** will take place in Kirkenes, Norway from 02 to 05 October 2023.

The second three-year LCIPP workplan calls for at least two regional or biregional gatherings to be organized per year in 2022–2023 to bring together Indigenous Peoples, local communities, Parties and other stakeholders from the respective region(s) to exchange experience and good practices in relation to addressing climate change and building climate resilience.

Interested representatives from the Arctic region, nominated by constituency focal points, must register using the online registration form, which will be communicated to the nominated participants. Constituency focal points are requested to submit their nomination list no later than **Friday, 8 September 2023** via cool@unfccc.int. In view of the need to coordinate logistical arrangements, registrations received after this deadline may not be processed.

Details of the LCIPP gathering for the Arctic region will be made available on the [LCIPP web portal](#) in due course. Further details will also be communicated directly to registered participants.

Yours sincerely,

(signed by)

Youssef Nassef
Director, Adaptation division

Distribution: Focal points of constituencies of non-governmental organizations admitted as observers by the Conference of the Parties.