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INFORMATION NOTE

NAP Expo 2020

30 March to 3 April 2020
Gaborone, Botswana

I am pleased to inform Parties and observer States to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement and United Nations Secretariat units and bodies, specialized agencies and related organizations that, in response to an offer to host from the Government of Botswana, the global NAP Expo for 2020 will be held from 30 March to 3 April 2020 in Gaborone, Botswana.

The NAP Expo is an outreach event organized by the Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG) under the UNFCCC in collaboration with relevant bodies and organizations. It promotes the exchange of experiences and fostering of partnerships between a wide range of actors and stakeholders on how to advance National Adaptation Plans (NAPs). It brings together a diversity of Party and non-Party actors and stakeholders, including, inter alia: policymakers and experts on NAPs from national and sub-national government authorities; representatives of the Green Climate Fund, the Global Environment Facility, the Adaptation Fund, United Nations organizations and other international organizations, bilateral and multilateral agencies, regional centres and networks, and the private sector; as well as key scientists and practitioners on climate change adaptation.

Interested Parties and observer States and United Nations Secretariat units and bodies, specialized agencies and related organizations should contact the secretariat through the e-mail address **napexpo@unfccc.int** to register for the event.

Distribution: To Parties and observer States through their National Focal Points for climate change and diplomatic missions accredited to the Federal Republic of Germany.

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The deadline for registration is **31 January 2020**. In view of the need to confirm the arrangements for the NAP Expo as early as possible, please be advised that the secretariat may not be in a position to process registrations received after this deadline.

The event will offer space for exhibitions showcasing progress in NAPs in countries as well as relevant activities and support by organizations. Please communicate your interest for exhibition space when registering.

Further information regarding the event, a draft programme and information for participants will be made available on the event website at: <http://napexpo.org/2020>.

Yours Sincerely,

(signed by)

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