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NOTIFICATION

15th Nairobi work programme Focal Point Forum 11 November 2022

I am pleased to notify constituency focal points of admitted non-governmental organizations (NGOs) that the **15th Focal Point Forum of the Nairobi work programme (NWP)** will be held during the 27th session of the Conference of the Parties in Sharm el-Sheikh, Arab Republic of Egypt, on 11 November 2022, from 18:00 to 20:00.

The Focal Point Forum¹ will be held under the guidance of the Chair of the SBSTA. It will provide an interactive space that contributes to scaling up adaptation action through knowledge. The forum will foster dialogue and knowledge-sharing among Parties, UNFCCC national focal points, NWP thematic expert groups and partners, UNFCCC constituted bodies and UNFCCC observers. The forum will launch the adaptation thematic area of agriculture and food security.

The forum will explore the implementation of adaptation practices and results in agriculture and food security, and how these can feature in national adaptation plans and build resilience in support of the Paris Agreement. The focal point forum will be organized with engagement of NWP thematic expert groups, focal points, and constituted bodies. It will highlight adaptation practices at the subregional level scale up adaptation through knowledge.

A link to the agenda of the forum will be available on the [NWP webpage](#). Kindly indicate by email to NWP@unfccc.int by **Monday, 7 November 2022** if a representative from your constituency will be able to attend this event.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed by)

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Director

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

¹ The Focal Point Forum was initially mandated by the SBSTA at its 28th session (FCCC/SBSTA/2008/6) for the secretariat to regularly organize focal point forums with representatives from interested Parties during the sessions of the Conference of Parties (COP).