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Regional Gathering

NOTIFICATION

Arctic regional gathering under the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform

02-05 October 2023, Kirkenes, Norway

I am pleased to notify Parties and observer States 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 of Parties and observer States from the Arctic region are requested to register to participate in the gathering by completing the <u>online registration form</u>. For registrations to be considered, national focal points are requested to confirm the name of their representative(s) by email to <u>LCIPP@unfccc.int</u>. The deadline for registrations is **Friday**, **15 September 2023**. 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 <u>LCIPP</u> web portal in due course. Further details will also be communicated directly to registered participants.

Yours sincerely,

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