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Subject: PACC-RRC Project Evaluation Support

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to refer to the Training Programme on Climate Change Adaptation and the Disaster Risk Reduction in Agriculture (PACC-RRC) Project for Permanent Inter-State Committee on Drought Control in the Sahel (CILSS) and the Economic Community of West Africa States (ECOWAS).

First, I would like to congratulate you for joining the Project, which was carried out successfully by the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) Regional Training Centers, the Institute of BioEconomy (IBE)/Consiglio Nazionale Delle Ricerche (CNR) and AGRHYMET. I also wish you all the best in continuing to improve the climate services for the agricultural sector in your country.

As part of the closing of the PACC-RRC Project, we are starting the process of conducting an impact evaluation. I would, therefore, like to request your support to encourage those who participated and benefitted from the training events, to respond to a short survey regarding their post-course experience in the application of what they have learned.

In addition, it would be appreciated if you could also select students to participate in an interview to further understand their post-course experiences and opportunities in implementing what they learned. It is estimated that the survey will take 15 to 20 minutes and the interview would be less than one hour. These are planned to take place in April and May 2021.

The purpose of this evaluation is to help WMO and its Regional Training Centers to identify ways to improve future projects of a similar nature. I would like to emphasize that your Service is not being evaluated and will not be identified in the evaluation report unless you would like this to be the case.

Once again, I would like to express my appreciation to your support to this Project and I hope it has benefited your country in offering good services.

Yours faithfully,

Dr Wenjian Zhang  
for the Secretary-General

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