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Annex: 1 (available in English only)

Subject: Twenty-fourth session of the RA I Tropical Cyclone Committee for the South West

Indian Ocean (online, 8-10 November 2021, 0900-1200 UTC)

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to inform you that the Twenty-fourth session of the RA I Tropical Cyclone Committee (RA I TCC-24) will be organized in the form of videoconference with a series of 3-hour meetings each day from 8 to 10 November 2021.

The World Meteorological Organization (WMO) Regional Association I, at its eighteenth session (RA I-18, online, 18–19 March 2021), adopted Draft Resolution 3.2/5 to re-establish the Tropical Cyclone Committee (TCC) for the South-West Indian Ocean as one of the subsidiary bodies of the Association, and decided to invite the chairpersons of RA I subsidiary bodies (or their representatives) to serve as an ex-officio member to this Committee.

In this connection, you are cordially invited to attend the session. The draft agenda is attached herewith and the documents will be made available in due course at the session website.

For administrative purposes, I would be grateful if you could notify the WMO Secretariat on or before **20 October 2021**, whether you will be able to participate.

I would like to express my appreciation for your continued support in promoting the activities of WMO

Yours faithfully,

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Dr E. Manaenkova for the Secretary-General

To: Chairpersons of RAI subsidiary bodies (limited distribution)

cc: Mr Daouda Konate, President of RA I, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire Mr Emmanuel Cloppet, Chairperson of the RA I TCC, La Réunion, France

RA I TROPICAL CYCLONE COMMITTEE FOR THE SOUTH WEST INDIAN OCEAN TWENTY-FOURTH SESSION OF THE WMO RA I TROPICAL CYCLONE COMMITTEE (RA I TCC-24, ONLINE, 8-10 NOVEMBER 2021, 0900-1200 UTC)

DRAFT AGENDA

DAY 1: Monday 8 November 2021, 0900-1200 UTC - 3 hours DAY 2: Tuesday 9 November 2021, 0900-1200 UTC - 3 hours DAY 3: Wednesday 10 November 2021, 0900-1200 UTC - 3 hours

DAY 1

Item nr	Time UTC	Item	Who	Duration (min)	Comments
1	0900		President RA I (TBC) WMO Secretariat (TBD) Chairperson (E. Cloppet)	15	Brief
2	0915	Election of officers		30	
3	0945	Adoption of the agenda		5	
4	0950	Report of the Chairperson since TCC-22	Emmanuel Cloppet	20	
5	1010	Review of the cyclone seasons			
5.1	1010	RSMC	RSMC La Reunion	20	
BREAK	1030			10	
5.2	1040	Members' presentation	Committee's Members	80	10mn x8
	1200	End of Day 1			

DAY 2

Item nr	Time UTC	Item	Who	Duration (min)	Comments
5.2 -ctd	0900	Members' presentation – to be continued	Committee's Members	70	10 mn x7
6	1010	Discussion on operational concerns	ALL	20	
BREAK	1030			10	
7	1040	Operational Plan		30	
7.1		Summary of updates	Philippe Caroff		
7.2		Ratification of the OP	ALL		
8	1110	Operational Updates from RSMC La Reunion	RSMC La Reunion	20	
9	1130	Discussion	ALL	30	
	1200	End of Day 2			

DAY 3

Item nr	Time - UTC	Item	Who	Duration	Comments
8	0900	Programmatic Updates			
	0900	SWFP Southern Africa - update	RSMC -Pretoria – Ezekiel Sebego	20	
	0920	WMO update on regional matters of relevance to RA I	WMO – Anne-Claire Fontan	20	
9	0940	Scientific lectures			
	0940	TC-Probabilistic Forecast Products, project and outcomes of the workshop	NOOA/HRD - Jason Dunion	20	
	1000	Development of Impact-based TC forecasting products	RSMC La Reunion-Philippe Caroff	20	
10	1020	Social Sciences – IBF, messaging uncertainty	SAWS - Elizabeth Viljoen	20	
BREAK	1040			10	
11	1050	Discussion	ALL	40	
12	1130	Review of the Actions/recommendations	ALL	20	
13	1150	Wrap-up and conclusion	WMO Secretariat /Chairperson	10	
	1200	End of the session			