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Annex: 1

The Secretariat of WMO presents its compliments to the Permanent Missions of Members with WMO to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva and has the honour to kindly request the Missions to forward the attached letter from the Secretary-General, Professor Celeste Saulo, to the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

The WMO Secretariat avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Permanent Missions to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva the assurances of its highest consideration.



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To: Permanent Missions of Members with WMO to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva (limited distribution)

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Subject: Contribution to the ESCAP/WMO Typhoon Committee Trust Fund for 2026

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to inform you that the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)/World Meteorological Organization (WMO) Typhoon Committee Trust Fund (hereinafter referred to as "the Fund") has been established to provide support to the Committee to facilitate the implementation of its important programmes concerning the mitigation of the harmful effects caused by typhoons and associated floods, landslides and storm surges. The Fund shall assist in the provision of institutional support to the Committee's programme, other support activities or activities of Members related to programme objectives.

I wish to convey my sincere appreciation and thanks to the Committee members who have provided financial contributions to the Fund and have made pledges to contribute to the Fund.

The Fund has been established from voluntary cash contributions by members of the Committee. At its fifty-eighth session held in Jeju, Republic of Korea, from 10 to 13 March 2026, the Committee urged its members to continue and to possibly enhance members' contributions to the Fund as a substantial support to the Committee's activities.

In view of the above, Your Excellency, I would appreciate it if your Government could consider providing a contribution to the Fund for 2026. Contributions to the Fund can be made directly to WMO, preferably for the amount of US 12 000 dollars or the equivalent in another convertible currency.

Payment of contributions can be effected by transfer to the WMO account:

Bank	UBS Switzerland AG, Geneva
Account Holder	WMO World Meteorological Organization
Bank clearing	0240
Account number	240-C0191516.1
<b>IBAN</b>	<b>CH29 0024 0240 C019 1516 1</b>

You are kindly asked to indicate "Contribution to the ESCAP/WMO Typhoon Committee Trust Fund **for 2026**" when submitting the payment.

To: Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Members of the ESCAP/WMO Typhoon Committee  
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cc: Permanent Representatives of Members of the ESCAP/WMO Typhoon Committee with WMO  
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Please accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'C. Saulo', written in a cursive style.

Prof. Celeste Saulo  
Secretary-General