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Annexes: 2 (available in English only)

Subject: Twenty-second Session of the WMO RA V Tropical Cyclone Committee (RA V TCC-22), 30 July – 1 August 2024, and Meeting of the Regional Subprogramme Management Team (RSMT) of the Severe Weather Forecasting Programme for the South Pacific (SWFP-SP) 2 August 2024, Brisbane, Australia

Action required: RAV TCC-22: Completed nomination form to be submitted to the WMO Secretariat on or before **30 April 2024**

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, the WMO Regional Association V (RA V) called for an annual session of the RA V Tropical Cyclone Committee (RA V TCC) for the South Pacific and South-East Indian Ocean, prior to the tropical cyclone season ([Resolution 1 \(RA V-18\)](#) - Working structure of RA V in context of Comprehensive Regional Reform).

I am pleased to inform you that, at the kind invitation of Australia, the RAV TCC-22 will be organized from 30 July to 1 August 2024, back-to back with the Severe Weather Forecasting Programme for the South Pacific (SWFP-SP) Regional Subprogramme Management Team (RSMT) meeting on 2 August 2024. The function of the Committee may be broadly described as, among others, coordination and improvement of the tropical cyclone forecasting and warning services, and thereby, the reduction of casualties and damage resulting from tropical cyclones in the Region. The RSMT is expected to review the progress of SWFP-SP and its potential contributions to the United Nations (UN) Early Warnings for All initiative.

I would therefore like you to nominate a representative of your country to participate in the RA V TCC-22 session. This representative is invited to participate in the RSMT meeting as an expert/observer. Please find attached herewith the nomination form ([Annex I](#)) and for your information, the list of the members of the RSMT ([Annex II](#)). The draft agenda will be made available in due course on the session/meeting website.

To: Permanent Representatives of Members of Regional Association V Tropical Cyclone Committee: Australia, French Polynesia, New Caledonia, United Kingdom, United States of America (limited distribution)

cc: Mr 'Ofa Fa'anunu, President of RA V, Fua'amotu, Tonga  
Mr Chris Noble, Chair of RA V TCC, Wellington, New Zealand  
Mr James Lunny, Chair of SWFP-SP RSMT, Wellington, New Zealand

For administrative purposes, I should be grateful if you could notify the WMO Secretariat on or **before 30 April 2024** of the attendance of your nominated expert.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support to WMO activities.

Yours faithfully,

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

Prof. Celeste Saulo  
Secretary-General

**TWENTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE RA V TROPICAL CYCLONE COMMITTEE FOR THE SOUTH PACIFIC AND THE SOUTH-EAST INDIAN OCEAN (RAV TCC-22)**

**RAV TCC-22, 30 JULY – 1 AUGUST 2024**

**MEETING OF THE REGIONAL SUBPROGRAMME MANAGEMENT TEAM (RSMT) OF THE SEVERE WEATHER FORECASTING PROGRAMME FOR THE SOUTH PACIFIC (SWFP-SP)**

**SWFP-SP RSMT, 2 AUGUST 2024**

**BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA**

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The Government of .....nominates:

Family Name			Gender:
First Name			Male:
			Female:
Address (Office)			
City – Country			
Telephone	Office +	Home +	
Fax	Office +	Home +	
Email			
Date and Place of Birth		Nationality	
Passport No. *		Expiry Date	

\* Please attach a copy of passport

Present position

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Date

Signature of Permanent Representative

To be completed and returned by email, at the latest by **30 April 2024** to:

Ms Anne-Claire Fontan ([acfontan@wmo.int](mailto:acfontan@wmo.int))

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**MEMBERS OF THE REGIONAL SUBPROGRAMME MANAGEMENT TEAM (RSMT)  
FROM PACIFIC SIDS AND RSMC WELLINGTON**

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**Chair of SWFP-SP RSMT**

James LUNNY (Chair), RSMC Wellington, NEW ZEALAND

**National Meteorological and Hydrological Services (NMHs) involved in both  
RA V TCC & SWFP-SP**

- 1 COOK ISLANDS
- 2 FIJI (ALSO RSMC TC)
- 3 KIRIBATI
- 4 NAURU
- 5 NIUE
- 6 SAMOA
- 7 SOLOMON ISLANDS
- 8 TONGA
- 9 TUVALU
- 10 VANUATU

**SUPPORTING CENTRES**

- Experts from SWFP supporting centres in Australia, New Caledonia, New Zealand and USA attending the RA V TCC may also attend the RSMT meeting (Tonga, 28 July 2023) in-person.
- Experts from SWFP supporting centres in Europe (i.e. European Centre for Medium Range Weather Forecasts (ECMWF) and the Met Office UK) and Japan may send their recorded presentations or provide their contributions for RSMT meeting via email as appropriate and feasible.

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