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Annex: 1

Subject: Confirmation of invitation to attend the Training Course on Seamless Prediction of Air Pollution in Africa, Cairo, Egypt, 30 September-4 October 2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to inform you that your application for the ["Training Course on Seamless Prediction of Air Pollution in Africa"](#) has been accepted.

The event will be held in-person, and online from 12 September to 4 October 2024.

- Online sessions will be organized from 12 to 25 September 2024. These online webinars aim to introduce the participants to basic concepts of air quality processes, modelling, observations, and applications. These webinars are mandatory.
- In-person training will be held at the Egyptian Meteorological Authority (EMA), Cairo, from 1 to 4 October 2024. The in-person course aims to introduce the participants to the main principles of air quality and meteorological modelling for African applications and related data products, as well as the means to implement these tools for African applications.

A further aim of the training is to build and strengthen local capacity in Africa on air quality prediction and forecasting and to promote the use of data products. You are invited to attend a science workshop on air quality research for Africa that will be held in conjunction with the training school on 30 September 2024.

WMO will provide financial support for your attendance to this training, in the form of the most direct and economic air ticket, and Daily Subsistence Allowance (DSA) that will cover your accommodation and meals.

Regarding insurance coverage for non-staff members, may I draw your attention to the following:

Non-staff members of WMO who are authorized to travel at the Organization's expense and/or who are receiving a DSA from WMO must ensure they are fully responsible for expenses incurred in the event of death, illness or injury during official travel and attendance at meetings on behalf of the Organization. They are, therefore, fully responsible for arranging life, health, and accident, as well as any other forms of insurance with an adequate level of coverage for the duration of such meetings and events.

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To: Participants to the Training Course on Seamless Prediction of Air Pollution in Africa

cc: Permanent Representatives of Members with WMO (limited distribution)

*benefit insurance which provides limited coverage for medical, emergency,
and supplementary official travel expenses.*

Yours faithfully,

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

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