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Annexes: 2 (disponibles en anglais seulement)

Objet: Treizième cours de formation sur les cyclones tropicaux pour les pays de la Région V (Nadi, Fidji, 9–13 septembre 2019)

Suite à donner: Faire parvenir au Secrétariat de l'OMM, le **12 juillet 2019** au plus tard, le formulaire de désignation dûment rempli

Madame, Monsieur,

À sa dix-septième session (Nouméa, Nouvelle-Calédonie, France, 23–26 juillet 2018), le Comité des cyclones tropicaux relevant du Conseil régional V a estimé que le cours biennal de formation sur les cyclones tropicaux était un excellent moyen de renforcer les capacités dans le domaine de la prévision des cyclones tropicaux dans la Région et il a recommandé d'organiser un tel cours en 2019.

Ainsi, à l'aimable invitation du Gouvernement des Fidji, la treizième édition de ce cours aura lieu à Nadi, du 9 au 13 septembre 2019.

Je vous invite à désigner un expert susceptible de participer au cours susmentionné. Vous trouverez en annexe un formulaire de désignation et la note d'information à l'intention des participants. Le programme provisoire de la réunion sera communiqué en temps utile. Il est à noter que le cours se déroulera en anglais uniquement.

Compte tenu de la modicité des fonds alloués à cette réunion, nous espérons que votre Service pourra prendre en charge les frais de participation de l'intéressé(e).

Pour des raisons d'ordre administratif, je vous prie de bien vouloir indiquer au Secrétariat de l'OMM, d'ici le **12 juillet 2019**, si un expert de votre Service pourra prendre part au cours de formation.

Veuillez agréer, Madame, Monsieur, l'expression de ma considération distinguée.

(W. Zhang)
pour le Secrétaire général

Aux: Représentants permanents des Membres du Conseil régional V - Australie, France, Nouvelle-Zélande, États-Unis d'Amérique, Royaume-Uni de Grande-Bretagne et d'Irlande du Nord (distribution restreinte)

cc: M. 'Ofa Fa'Anunu, Président du Conseil régional V (Pacifique Sud-Ouest), Nuku' alofa, Tonga
M. Chris Noble, Président du Comité des cyclones tropicaux relevant du Conseil régional V, Wellington, Nouvelle-Zélande

THE 13TH RA V TRAINING COURSE ON TROPICAL CYCLONES**(Nadi, Fiji, 9-13 September 2019)****INFORMATION NOTE FOR PARTICIPANTS****1. Place and date of the Training Course**

The 13th RA V Training Course on Tropical Cyclones will be held at the Fiji Meteorological Service (Training Room), Korowai Road, Namaka, Nadi, Fiji, from 9 to 13 September 2019.

2. Working language: English only**3. Entry/visa requirements**

All visitors are advised to check with airlines or local travel agents for information regarding entry requirements. If you are required to have a visa to enter Fiji, you are kindly advised to apply for the visa **as soon as possible** at the nearest Fiji Embassy/Consulate General in your country.

4. Hotel Accommodation

The Fiji Meteorological Services has negotiated room rates with Tanoa International Hotel in Nadi, Fiji to ensure a good value for the accommodation. The room rates are as follows:

Single Superior room:	Fijian \$185 (breakfast inclusive)
Shared Superior room:	Fijian \$210 (breakfast inclusive)

The hotel is located at Votualevu Road, Namaka, Nadi. Please access the following website for detailed information on the hotel:

<http://www.tanoainternational.com>

Participants will be responsible for booking and payment of their hotel room.

5. Currency

The currency used in Fiji is the Fijian Dollars (FJD). Other major currencies are convertible. Credit cards (American Express, Diners Club, Master Card, Visa, etc.) are accepted in most of the major outlets. The exchange rates are fluctuating with time. At the time of writing, exchange rates were as follows:

US\$1.00 = FJD1.89 (as of 31st May 2019) **rates fluctuates**

Banking hours are Monday to Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

6. Transportation

The Nadi International Airport is located about 8 km from Nadi Town. Please note that Tanoa International Hotel provides a free shuttle service to/from the airport.

Pacific Transport and Sunbeam buses operate a continuous bus service 7 days a week between Nadi and Suva. They also continue around the island via Lautoka, Ba and Rakiraki. The service is less frequent on Sundays.

Fiji Meteorological Service is less than 2 km away from Tanoa International Hotel.

Taxis in Nadi are plentiful; flag fall is \$1.50 and \$2.00 after 10 p.m.

Public buses also service the route at \$0.70 but it involves a bit of walking as the buses only service the main road while the Tanoa International Hotel and Fiji Meteorological Service office are both approximately 0.3 km away from the main road.

7. Registration

Registration of the participants will take place in the training room at 8:00a.m. on Monday, 09 September 2017.

8. Climate in September

You find detailed information at: <http://www.met.gov.fj>

Some meteorological parameters for the month are listed below:

Mean monthly maximum temperature:	29.3°C
Mean monthly minimum temperature:	19.6°C
Mean monthly precipitation amount:	78.0mm
Mean Rain Days:	7 days
Mean Relative Humidity:	67%
Mean daily duration of sunshine:	7.0 hours

9. Additional information

Additional information about Nadi, Fiji may be found at: <http://www.fijime.com>

Should you require further information regarding the meeting, please contact:

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(NADI, FIJI, 9-13 SEPTEMBER 2019)**

NOMINATION FORM

The Government ofnominates the following candidate as a participant on the above training course and workshop:

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

(*) **Note:** For nominees whose primary language is not English, this nomination form **must** be accompanied by a relevant language proficiency certificate as a necessary condition for acceptance.

Mother tongue

(*) :

Qualifications:

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Training in the field of meteorology (other than as noted above):

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Present position and brief description of duties:

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Brief description of past relevant professional/operational experience:

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Name	
Address	
Telephone / Email	

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Date

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Signature of Permanent Representative

To be completed and returned by fax and/or by mail, at the latest by **12 July 2019** to:

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