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Subject:

Gender Focal Points and 2013 Global Survey on Gender Mainstreaming at WMO

Action required: To assign a gender focal point by 24 January 2014 and respond to the Survey

Dear Sir/Madam,

In reference to WMO circular letter No. PR-6719 dated 4 October 2013, I would like to thank those Members who have taken the time to respond to the 2013 Global Survey on Gender Mainstreaming at WMO. Your input has been truly invaluable to assessing progress towards our common WMO goal of achieving gender equality and empowering women in the meteorological, hydrological and climatological professions.

While we have received many replies to the Survey and are now able to draw some patterns and trends at the global level, our regional analysis is still hampered by the low response rate among certain regions. To obtain a more accurate and comprehensive picture, I would like to appeal to those Members who have not responded to the Survey yet to kindly assign a gender focal point or a contact person with whom we can get in touch and follow up on the Survey. The latter is still available at the following website address:

English: http://www.wmo.int/gendersurvey/ (password: gender@wmo013)

We would appreciate if you could provide the contact details of the assigned official (name, e-mail and telephone number) to Dr Assia Alexieva (aalexieva@wmo.int) with a copy to Ms Teresita Concepcion (tconcepcion@wmo.int) by **24 January 2014**.

I thank you in advance for your collaboration.

Yours faithfully,

(M. Jarraud) Secretary-General

To: Permanent Representatives (or Directors of Meteorological or Hydrometeorological Services) of Members of WMO (PR-6737)

cc: Hydrological Advisers to Permanent Representatives