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Subject: Update on the UN Global Early Warning Initiative for the Implementation of Climate Adaptation, Early Warnings for All Executive Action Plan

Dear Sir/Madam,

Reference is made to my previous letter ref: 23103/2022/CSG/EWS providing an update on the United Nations (UN) Global Early Warning Initiative for the Implementation of Climate Adaptation: Early Warnings for All.

As announced by the United Nations Secretary-General, António Guterres, on 23 March 2022, the United Nations will spearhead new action to ensure every person on Earth is protected by early warning systems within five years. The World Meteorological Organization (WMO) was designated by UN Secretary-General Guterres to lead this effort and to present an action plan to achieve this goal at the twenty-seventh Conference of the Parties (COP27) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), in Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt.

I am now pleased to share the [Early Warnings for All Executive Action Plan](#), which was developed in partnership with key partner organizations. It summarizes the initial actions required to achieve the five-year goal and sets out the pathway to implementation. The plan will be launched, along with the joint statement on early warning systems “the resolve to act on early warnings for all”, during a high-level round table which will be attended by the UN Secretary-General and several Heads of States and governments, during the World Leaders Summit of the COP27, on 7 November 2022.

We would be grateful if you could share this Executive Action Plan with your delegations attending COP27, and request that your governments and delegations attending COP27 give it support and visibility to ensure the success of the initiative.

I take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support to Early Warnings for All: The UN Global Early Warning Initiative for the Implementation of Climate Adaptation.

Yours faithfully,

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Secretary-General

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