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Subject: A newly developed online self-directed course, Public-Private Engagement in

Weather, Climate and Water Services, is now available on WMO Moodle

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to draw your attention to a newly developed online self-directed course, *Public-Private Engagement (PPE) in Weather, Climate and Water Services*, now available on the World Meteorological Organization Education and Training Programme (WMO ETRP) learning platform.

As part of an initiative by WMO to enhance multi-stakeholder collaboration, this course aims to provide knowledge, insight and skills development in building effective communication and cooperation among the public, private and academic sectors as well as civil society.

It is my expectation that Members will make the best use of the resources contained in the course to help National Meteorological and Hydrological Services (NMHSs) and stakeholders in all sectors of the meteorological community to understand the PPE-related principles and guidelines promoted by WMO, recognize the interdependent challenges and opportunities within, and unlock their potential to develop effective and reciprocal multistakeholder partnerships.

I take this opportunity to assure you that WMO will continue to strengthen the efforts to promote mutually beneficial engagement among public, private, and academic sectors at the global and national levels, to support development of Members' capacity for better weather, climate and water services.

Yours faithfully,

Prof. Petteri Taalas Secretary-General

To: Permanent Representatives of Members with WMO

cc: Hydrological Advisers

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