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Subject: Part B of the eighteenth session of Regional Association VI (Europe),
RA VI-18 (B), 19 November 2021, online

Actions required: (1) To nominate delegates to participate in the session and arrange for
their credentials, if not provided for Part A of RA VI-18.
(2) To pre-register delegates with the online Event Registration System
(ERS)

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to inform you that Part B of the eighteenth session of Regional Association VI (Europe) (RA VI-18 (B)) of the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) will be held online through a remote platform on 19 November 2021. Part A of the eighteenth session of the Regional Association VI was held on 20 November 2020.

The provisional agenda and the explanatory memorandum for Part B of the RA VI-18 session will be accessible on tab "Part B" of the [session website](#). Instructions and guidelines on the use of the online platform will also be made available on the session website.

Regulation 20 of the WMO General Regulations (*Basic documents No. 1, 2019 edition* (WMO-No. 15)) requests Members to provide credentials for their delegations for the session with a clear indication of the principal delegate and the alternate. I should welcome in due course the credentials of your delegation, signed by, or on behalf of, an appropriate governmental authority of the Member, for those delegations who did not provide valid credentials during Part A of the RA VI-18. Credentials received for RA VI-18 Part A remain valid for Part B of the session when they include the same delegates.

In view of their official status with WMO, Permanent Representatives are kindly invited to act as focal points for the online registration of their delegation to the RA VI-18 (B). The link to the online [Event Registration System \(ERS\)](#), the username and password that were sent to the Permanent Representatives by email, remain valid for all upcoming WMO meetings.

I have the further honour to inform you that the online registration will close on **17 November 2021**. For further information concerning the online pre-registration, please contact the WMO Secretariat by email at: registration@wmo.int.

Please be informed that after submission of information through the online ERS, Members will still be requested to provide valid credentials for the participating delegation.

In view of limited time during the online session to discuss documents, Permanent Representatives and session delegates are invited to provide their comments and proposed changes to the documents in advance of the session via plenary@wmo.int, preferably one week before the session.

To: Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Member States of the World Meteorological Organization

A copy of this letter is being sent to the Permanent Representative and Hydrological Adviser of your country with WMO, as well as to Permanent Missions of Member States of WMO to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva; presidents of regional associations and technical commissions and chairs of WMO bodies.

Accept, Your Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.



Prof. Petteri Taalas
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