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Subject: 2013 Meeting of the Presidents of Regional Associations (PRAs-2013), and 2013 Joint Meeting of Presidents of Regional Associations and Presidents of Technical Commissions (PRAs-PTCs)

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to inform you that the 2013 Meeting of the Presidents of Regional Associations (PRAs-2013) will be held from 14 (p.m.) to 15 January 2013 followed by the Joint Meeting of Presidents of Regional Associations and Presidents of Technical Commissions (PRA-PTC) on 16 January 2013 at the WMO Secretariat. The provisional agendas of the two meetings are attached for reference.

You are cordially invited to attend these meetings from 14 to 16 January 2013.

I look forward to seeing you in Geneva.

Yours faithfully,

(J. Lengoasa)
for the Secretary-General

To: Presidents of regional associations (P.RA-1748)

cc: President of WMO (for information)

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**2013 MEETING OF PRESIDENTS OF REGIONAL
ASSOCIATIONS**

FIRST MEETING

GENEVA, 14-15 JANUARY 2013

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening (starts at 14:00 on 14 January 2013)
 2. Election of the Chairperson
 3. Adoption of the agenda
 4. Progress in Key Priority Areas
 5. PRA inputs into the EC-WG/CD Meeting (21-23 January 2013) and EC-WG-SOP (21-23 January 2013)
 6. Review of the agenda and discussion points of the First 2013 Joint Meeting of Presidents of Regional Associations and Presidents of Technical Commissions (16 January 2013)
 7. Any other business
 8. Closing
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**JOINT MEETING OF PRESIDENTS OF REGIONAL
ASSOCIATIONS AND PRESIDENTS OF
TECHNICAL COMMISSIONS**

FIRST 2013 MEETING

GENEVA, 16 JANUARY 2013

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening
 2. Adoption of the agenda
 3. Follow-up to the Extraordinary Session of Congress (Cg-Ext.(2012))
 4. Continuous Improvement of WMO Processes and Practices
 - 4.1 Update on the various proposals
 - 4.2 Improving interaction between Regional Associations (RAs) and Technical Commissions (TCs)
 5. Progress in Key Priority Areas
 - 5.1 Implementation of the WMO Integrated Global Observing System (WIGOS)/ WMO Information System (WIS)
 - 5.2 Aeronautical Meteorology
 - 5.3 Capacity Development
 - 5.4 Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR)
 6. Improving sessions documentation and decision making
 - 6.1 Updates from CBS, CHy and JCOMM
 - 6.2 Update from RA II
 7. Any other business
 8. Closing
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