Our ref.: CLPA/CCA/UNFCCC-COP19	GENEVA, 6 November 2013

Subject: Key messages of WMO community at COP 19 and CMP 9 of the UNFCCC, Warsaw, Poland, 11-22 November 2013

Actions required: Representatives from NMHSs are encouraged to refer to the attached 'Key Messages' to actively participate in discussions of COP 19 and CMP 9 related to climate science and services, and support WMO's initiative on the Global Framework for Climate Services (GFCS)

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware following my circular letter CLPA/CCA/UNFCCC-COP19 dated 21 August 2013, the 19th session of the Conference of the Parties to the Climate Change Convention (COP 19) will be held in conjunction with the 9th session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol (CMP 9) in Warsaw, Poland, from 11 to 22 November 2013.
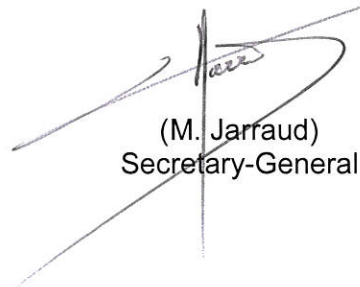
In order to provide your delegation with additional information on the important role of their National Meteorological and Hydrological Services and the Global Framework for Climate Services (GFCS) in the relevant negotiation processes, you may refer to key messages of WMO community at COP 19 and CMP 9 of the UNFCCC.

Furthermore, I would like to notify you that WMO activities, as well as related documentation and materials, are made available on the following webpage, in official UN languages, as soon as available:

http://www.wmo.int/pages/meetings/wmo-at-the-warsaw-ccf-unfccc-cop19_en.html

You are advised to consult this webpage on a regular basis.

Yours faithfully,

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Secretary-General

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