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Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to refer to the letter WMO-1425 dated 17 December 2015, informing you that at the kind invitation of the Government of the United Arab Emirates and by virtue of Regulation 171 of the WMO General Regulations, the sixteenth session of Regional Association II (Asia) would be held from 26 to 29 September 2016, in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates. It has now been decided that the dates for the session will be from 12 to 16 February 2017. The venue for the session remains unchanged.

In accordance with the procedures relating to the acceptance of invitations for sessions of constituent bodies as laid down in Annex I to the General Regulations of the Organization, and in particular paragraph 7 thereof, I have the honour to request that, if it is the intention of your country to be represented at this session, notification be sent to the Secretariat of the World Meteorological Organization, so as to arrive no later than **24 July 2016**.

The provisional annotated agenda of the session will soon be accessible through the WMO website.

A copy of this letter is being sent to the Permanent Representatives of Members with WMO.

Accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(P. Taalas) Secretary-General

To: Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Member States of the World Meteorological Organization (WMO-1428)