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Subject: Invitation to attend WMO's Ministerial Reception at COP 22, 14 November 2016, Marrakech, Morocco

Action required: To notify the WMO Secretariat whether you and your Minister plan to attend COP 22

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, the twenty-second session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 22) to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) is scheduled to take place in Marrakech, Morocco from 7 to 18 November 2016. This will be an opportunity to discuss and chart new pathways in response to the global challenges of climate change.

I am pleased to inform you that on the occasion of the COP 22 session I intend to host a Ministerial Reception on 14 November 2016 from 17h30 to 18h30 for all Permanent Representative and Ministers, under the theme "Climate extremes, growing costs and loss: are we ready?"

I therefore wish to cordially invite you to this event, should you plan to attend COP 22. In the event that you or your respective Minister are planning to attend COP 22, please send the information concerning your attendance to Ms Nadia Oppliger (noppliger@wmo.int).

Information on the venue of the event will be communicated to you in due course.

Yours faithfully,

(P. Taalas) Secretary-General