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To designated IPCC Focal Points and
Ministries of Foreign Affairs
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Geneva, 14 February 2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change at its 60th Session (IPCC-60) per [Decision IPCC-LX-7](#), set up an Ad-Hoc Group with the **mandate** to advise governments on the way forward in considering the Lessons Learned from the sixth assessment cycle, including but not limited to those identified in Annex 1 of the document [IPCC-LX/INF. 9](#).

The Ad-Hoc Group will work intersessionally with the view to report back to the Panel for consideration at its Sixty-first Session, scheduled to take place tentatively end of July 2024.

Upon constitution of the Ad-Hoc Group noting [Decision IPCC-LX-7](#), it was agreed that the United States of America and South Africa would serve as Co-Chairs. Please be informed that Ms Brittany Croll (United States of America) and Ms Debra Roberts (South Africa) have been designated by their respective governments as Co-Chairs of the Ad-Hoc Group.

Please be informed that the first meeting of the Ad-Hoc Group will be held on 27 March 2024 in virtual format.

Taking into account the open-ended composition of the Ad-Hoc Group to Panel members, the Secretariat kindly requests you to express your interest in joining the Ad-Hoc Group on Lessons Learned by **Friday 23 February 2024**. Please address your response to the email address: **ipcc-sec@wmo.int**.

A copy of this letter is being sent for information to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and to the Permanent Representatives from your country to the World Meteorological Organization and to the United Nations Environment Programme.

Thank you for your kind consideration of this matter.

Yours sincerely,



(Abdalah Mokssit)
Secretary of the IPCC