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Annex: 1 (available in English only)

Subject: RA I Training Course on Tropical Cyclones - tenth session, online,
25-29 October 2021, 0630-0830 UTC and 1000-1200 UTC

Action required: To nominate up to three forecasters and submit completed
Nomination Form(s) to the WMO Secretariat **on or before**
4 October 2021

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, the Government of France usually hosts the biannual Regional Association I (RA I) Training Course on Tropical Cyclones at the Regional Specialized Meteorological Centre (RSMC) Tropical Cyclone Centre in La Réunion, France.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic situation, the tenth session of this training course will be held online from 25 to 29 October 2021, in English and French. I wish to commend the efforts of the Government of France and RSMC La Reunion in organizing the training course for this year under the current challenging situation.

The course will provide training for tropical cyclone forecasters from the region, assist RA I Tropical Cyclone Committee Members in their efforts to improve operational tropical cyclone forecasting and warning and help participants to understand and communicate better with the stakeholders engaged in the emergency decision-making process. An outline of the draft agenda will be made available in due course.

I am therefore pleased to invite you to nominate up to three forecasters from your Service to participate in this training course. To ensure the effectiveness and positive impacts of the course on the work of your service, it is strongly recommended that the nominated forecasters are currently engaged in tropical cyclone and associated weather forecasting and have a direct link to the operational tasks of your service.

I should be grateful if the completed Nomination Form ([Annex](#)) could be returned to the WMO Secretariat on or before **4 October 2021**.

Yours faithfully,

Dr Elena Manaenkova
for the Secretary-General

To: Permanent Representatives of Members of the RA I Tropical Cyclone Committee (TCC) for the South West Indian Ocean (limited distribution)

cc: Mr Daouda Konate, President of RA I, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire
Mr Emmanuel Cloppet, Chairperson of the RA I TCC, La Réunion, France
Mr Philippe Caroff, RSMC La Réunion, La Réunion, France

RA I TRAINING COURSE ON TROPICAL CYCLONES

Online, 25-29 October 2021

NOMINATION FORM

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The Government of nominates the following candidate as a participant on the above training workshop:

Family Name			Gender :
First Name			Male <input type="checkbox"/>
			Female <input type="checkbox"/>
Address (Office)			
City - Country			
Telephone	Office +	Home +	
Email			
Date and Place of Birth		Nationality	

Qualifications (certificates, diplomas or degrees):

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Training in the field of meteorology (other than as noted in above):

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Present position and brief description of current duties

(please include public weather services functions, if any):

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Brief description of past relevant professional/operational experience

(please include experience in aspects of public weather services (e.g. media work, working with disaster management, public outreach and education, etc.) if any and/or relevant planned future work/activities):

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Date

Signature of Permanent Representative

To be completed and sent by email, at the latest by **4 October 2021** to:

Ms Anne-Claire Fontan (acfontan@wmo.int), cc : Ms Xiao Zhou (xzhou@wmo.int)
