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NOTIFICATION

**Subject: Documents for the fourteenth meeting of the Subsidiary Body on Scientific,
Technical and Technological Advice of the Convention on Biological Diversity
(SBSTTA-14)**

UNEP Headquarters, Nairobi, Kenya, 10 - 21 May 2010

Dear Madam/Sir,

I wish to inform you that all the pre-session documents for the SBSTTA-14 meeting are now available, in English language, in final form on the Secretariat website at: <http://www.cbd.int/doc/?meeting=SBSTTA-14>. The documents in the U.N. official languages are being uploaded on the same website, as and when they are ready.

Further background information about the logistics pertaining to this meeting will be made available, as soon as finalized, on the same CBD website.

I wish to thank Parties that contributed to the review of the drafts of the SBSTTA documents. Please note that, with a view of reducing the environmental impact of the Convention's processes, only one set of documents per delegation will be made available at the meeting venue. Delegations are therefore strongly encouraged to bring their own set of documents, which can be downloaded from the Secretariat's website.

Please accept, Madam/Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Ahmed Djoghlaif
Executive Secretary

To: CBD and SBSTTA focal points, SBSTTA Bureau Members and relevant organizations