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NOTIFICATION

Virtual consultation workshop on a draft manual on the application of landscape approaches in the updating and implementation of national biodiversity strategies and action plans (NBSAPs)

25 and 26 April 2022

Dear Madam/Sir,

To enhance the capacities of Parties in applying landscape approaches in the updating and implementation of NBSAPs, in light of the post-2020 global biodiversity framework, the United Nations University Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability (UNU-IAS) and the Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES), with the support of the Secretariat, are developing a user-friendly manual in this regard, building on relevant work undertaken earlier. To maximize the relevance and usefulness of this manual, a virtual workshop will be convened to solicit views and suggestions from Parties and relevant organizations on the development of the manual.

The workshop will be held twice, via the Zoom platform, to accommodate different time zones. It will be held in English only. I am pleased to invite you to register in one of the following workshop sessions by **20 April 2022**.

Workshop 1: 25 April 2022 - 19:00-21:00 (Montreal time) / 26 April - 08:00-10:00 (Tokyo time) Registration link

(https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0rdemppjIvE92zVMXWUdPWX7CEXFHGdpmH)

Workshop 2: 26 April 2022 - 8:00-10:00 (Montreal time) / 26 April – 21:00-23:00 (Tokyo time) Registration link (Registration link)

Upon registration, participants will receive a link to join the workshop. Relevant documents including a concept note will be sent to participants by e-mail prior to the workshop. If you have questions about the workshop, please contact Mr. André Mader of IGES (mader@iges.or.jp), copying Ms. Miyuki Noguchi of UNU-IAS (miyuki.noguchi@unu.edu).

I look forward to your active participation in this important event.

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

Elizabeth Maruma Mrema Executive Secretary





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