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NOTIFICATION

Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group on Technology Transfer and Scientific and Technological Cooperation

Dear Madam/Sir,

The Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group on Technology Transfer and Scientific and Technological Cooperation will meet in Geneva, Switzerland, on 10 to 12 September 2007. The meeting is being organized in cooperation with the United Nations Environment Programme, Division of Technology, Industry and Economics (UNEP-DTIE).

The expert group is mandated to collect, analyse and identify ongoing tools, mechanisms, systems and initiatives to promote the implementation of Articles 16 to 19 of the Convention, and to propose strategies for practical implementation of the programme of work on technology transfer and scientific and technical cooperation, in accordance with decision VII/29, paragraph 7, of the Conference of the Parties. The report of the meeting will be submitted to the consideration of the Conference of the Parties, at its ninth meeting in May 2008.

I am pleased to convey, herewith, the list of selected experts and representatives of international organizations, research institutions as well as private sector. The selection of experts was based on nominations by Parties and organizations, taking into account the nominee's expertise and experience in the field of technology transfer, as well as fair and equitable geographical distribution and gender balance. The full list of nominations received is also attached for information.

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

Ahmed Djoghlaf Executive Secretary

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International Organizations:

Mr. K. L. Heong, CGIAR Mr. Eklabya Sharma, ICIMOD

Research Institution:

Mr. Marc van Montagu, PRRI Ms. Beth Burrows, EI

Private Sector/Industry:

Mr. Roger Krueger, ICC

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