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## **NOTIFICATION**

EXTENSION OF DEADLINE: Regional Capacity-building Workshop on the Inter-Linkages between Human Health and Biodiversity in the Americas

Manaus, Brazil (4-6 September 2012)

Dear Madam/Sir,

Please refer to my earlier notification of 21 June 2012, Ref.: SCBD/STTM/DC/KC/CRm/80196, regarding a regional capacity-building workshop for Parties from the Latin American and Caribbean Group (GRULAC) and North America to be held in Manaus, Brazil. The original notification is available at: <a href="http://www.cbd.int/doc/notifications/2012/ntf-2012-099-health-en.pdf">http://www.cbd.int/doc/notifications/2012/ntf-2012-099-health-en.pdf</a>.

The Workshop has now been rescheduled to take place from 4-6 September 2012 at the same location. If you have not already done so, I invite you to nominate one representative of your government, at your earliest convenience but not later than Monday 30 July 2012, to participate in the regional workshop based on the criteria outlined in the above notification. The Secretariat will be in a position to support the participation of one nomination by the CBD National Focal Point from eligible Parties. Please note that priority will be given to countries that submit nominations of one representative from the Ministry of the Environment and one from the Ministry of Health. A separate process is in place to gather nominations from the Ministry of Health, with support of the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO). Given the limited availability of funding, participants are urged to submit their nominations as soon as possible.

CBD National Focal Points should provide the name and contact details of their nominee via **official signed letter** addressed to the Executive Secretary by the deadline (faxed to +1 (514) 288-6588, or scanned and attached to an email addressed to secretariat@cbd.int).

I look forward to receiving your nomination and I thank you in advance for your cooperation and for your continued support for the work of the Convention.

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

Braulio Ferreira de Souza Dias Executive Secretary

To: CBD National Focal Points of the Latin American and Caribbean Group, Canada and the United States





