



**NOTIFICATION**  
**Clearing-House Mechanism Awards – Revised Selection Process**

Dear Madam/Sir,

Reference is made to Notifications [2020-18](#) and [2020-61](#) in which Parties were invited to submit applications for the Clearing-House Mechanism (CHM) Awards that will be granted at the fifteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties (COP 15), following the modalities described in the annex to the these notifications and which are also available at the following webpage: <https://www.cbd.int/chm/award/process.shtml>.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and technical challenges encountered by Parties in the submission of their applications for the Award, the Informal Advisory Committee to the Clearing-House Mechanism, at its meeting held virtually on 23 November 2021, advised that all Parties that have developed a national Clearing-House Mechanism website/platform should be considered for the award (see list annexed to this notification). The CHM Awards jury will convene in April 2022 to select the winners.

In this regard, I wish to announce that your national CHM website/platform will be considered for the CHM Award at COP 15, unless you advise the Secretariat otherwise by **7 March 2022** in writing.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Secretariat by e-mail at [chm@cbd.int](mailto:chm@cbd.int) in case you need any further information or clarification.

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

Elizabeth Maruma Mrema  
Executive Secretary

Enclosure

To: CBD and CHM National Focal Points



**Annex**  
**List of National Clearing-House Mechanisms as of 1 February 2022**

<b>Party</b>	<b>Link</b>
Albania	<a href="http://nfp-al.eionet.eu.int/">http://nfp-al.eionet.eu.int/</a>
Andorra	<a href="https://www.mediambient.ad/biodiversitat">https://www.mediambient.ad/biodiversitat</a>
Australia	<a href="https://www.awe.gov.au/environment/biodiversity">https://www.awe.gov.au/environment/biodiversity</a>
Austria	<a href="https://www.biodiv.at/">https://www.biodiv.at/</a>
Bahamas	<a href="http://www.bahamaschm.org/">http://www.bahamaschm.org/</a>
Bahrain	<a href="https://www.biodiv.be/bahrain">https://www.biodiv.be/bahrain</a>
Barbados	<a href="http://www.nccbarbados.gov.bb/">http://www.nccbarbados.gov.bb/</a>
Belarus	<a href="http://biodiv.by/">http://biodiv.by/</a>
Belgium	<a href="https://www.biodiv.be/">https://www.biodiv.be/</a>
Benin	<a href="https://bj.chm-cbd.net/">https://bj.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Bhutan	<a href="https://bt.chm-cbd.net/">https://bt.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Bosnia and Herzegovina	<a href="http://bih-chm-cbd.ba/">http://bih-chm-cbd.ba/</a>
Brazil	<a href="https://www.gov.br/mma/pt-br">https://www.gov.br/mma/pt-br</a>
Bulgaria	<a href="http://chm.moew.government.bg/">http://chm.moew.government.bg/</a>
Burkina Faso	<a href="https://bf.chm-cbd.net/">https://bf.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Burundi	<a href="https://bi.chm-cbd.net/">https://bi.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Cambodia	<a href="http://www.chm.gdanp-moe.org/">http://www.chm.gdanp-moe.org/</a>
Cameroon	<a href="https://cm.chm-cbd.net/">https://cm.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Canada	<a href="http://www.biodivcanada.ca">www.biodivcanada.ca</a>
Central African Republic	<a href="https://cf.chm-cbd.net/">https://cf.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Chad	<a href="https://td.chm-cbd.net/">https://td.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Chile	<a href="http://www.mma.gob.cl/biodiversidad/1313/w3-channel.html">http://www.mma.gob.cl/biodiversidad/1313/w3-channel.html</a>
China	<a href="http://english.biodiv.gov.cn/">http://english.biodiv.gov.cn/</a>
Colombia	<a href="http://chmcolombia.co/">http://chmcolombia.co/</a>
Comoros	<a href="https://km.chm-cbd.net/">https://km.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Congo	<a href="https://cg.chm-cbd.net/">https://cg.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Costa Rica	<a href="http://www.chmcostarica.go.cr">http://www.chmcostarica.go.cr</a>
Côte d'Ivoire	<a href="https://ci.chm-cbd.net/">https://ci.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Croatia	<a href="http://www.bioportal.hr/">http://www.bioportal.hr/</a>
Cuba	<a href="http://www.ecosis.cu/biocuba/chm/chmcuba.htm">http://www.ecosis.cu/biocuba/chm/chmcuba.htm</a>
Czech Republic	<a href="https://chm.nature.cz/">https://chm.nature.cz/</a>
Dem. Rep of Congo	<a href="https://cd.chm-cbd.net/">https://cd.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Denmark	<a href="https://eng.mst.dk/chm">https://eng.mst.dk/chm</a>
Dominican Republic	<a href="https://ambiente.gob.do/">https://ambiente.gob.do/</a>
El Salvador	<a href="http://www.marn.gob.sv/">http://www.marn.gob.sv/</a>
Estonia	<a href="http://chm.eionet.europa.eu/chm_ee">http://chm.eionet.europa.eu/chm_ee</a>
European Union	<a href="https://biodiversity.europa.eu/">https://biodiversity.europa.eu/</a>
Finland	<a href="https://www.biodiversity.fi/en/home">https://www.biodiversity.fi/en/home</a>
France	<a href="https://biodiv.mnhn.fr/">https://biodiv.mnhn.fr/</a>
Gabon	<a href="https://ga.chm-cbd.net/">https://ga.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Germany	<a href="http://www.bmub.bund.de/P4160-1">http://www.bmub.bund.de/P4160-1</a>
Ghana	<a href="https://gh.chm-cbd.net/">https://gh.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Grenada	<a href="http://gd.chm-cbd.net/">http://gd.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Guatemala	<a href="http://www.chmguatemala.gob.gt/">http://www.chmguatemala.gob.gt/</a>
Guinea	<a href="https://gn.chm-cbd.net/">https://gn.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Guinea Bissau	<a href="https://www.biodiv.be/guine-bissau">https://www.biodiv.be/guine-bissau</a>

Guyana	<a href="http://gy.chm-cbd.net/">http://gy.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Honduras	<a href="http://www.chmhonduras.org/">http://www.chmhonduras.org/</a>
Hungary	<a href="http://www.biodiv.hu/">http://www.biodiv.hu/</a>
Iceland	<a href="https://www.government.is/ministries/ministry-for-the-environment-and-natural-resources/">https://www.government.is/ministries/ministry-for-the-environment-and-natural-resources/</a>
India	<a href="http://envfor.nic.in/en/envis/envis.html">http://envfor.nic.in/en/envis/envis.html</a>
Iran	<a href="https://biodiversity.doe.ir/portal/home/">https://biodiversity.doe.ir/portal/home/</a>
Iraq	<a href="https://www.moen.gov.iq/">https://www.moen.gov.iq/</a>
Italy	<a href="https://www.mite.gov.it/">https://www.mite.gov.it/</a>
Jamaica	<a href="https://jamaicachm.org.jm/CHM/">https://jamaicachm.org.jm/CHM/</a>
Japan	<a href="http://www.biodic.go.jp/index_e.html">http://www.biodic.go.jp/index_e.html</a>
Kazakhstan	<a href="http://www.firstheartlandcapital.com/ru/">http://www.firstheartlandcapital.com/ru/</a>
Kenya	<a href="http://meas.nema.go.ke/cbdchm/">http://meas.nema.go.ke/cbdchm/</a>
Latvia	<a href="http://biodiv.daba.gov.lv/">http://biodiv.daba.gov.lv/</a>
Libya	<a href="http://www.environment.org.ly/">http://www.environment.org.ly/</a>
Luxembourg	<a href="https://environnement.public.lu/fr.html">https://environnement.public.lu/fr.html</a>
Malaysia	<a href="https://www.mybis.gov.my/one/">https://www.mybis.gov.my/one/</a>
Maldives	<a href="https://www.environment.gov.mv/biodiversity/">https://www.environment.gov.mv/biodiversity/</a>
Mali	<a href="https://ml.chm-cbd.net/">https://ml.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Marshall Islands	<a href="https://www.rmiembassyus.org/">https://www.rmiembassyus.org/</a>
Mauritania	<a href="https://mr.chm-cbd.net/">https://mr.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Mexico	<a href="https://www.biodiversidad.gob.mx/">https://www.biodiversidad.gob.mx/</a>
Morocco	<a href="https://ma.chm-cbd.net/">https://ma.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Myanmar	<a href="http://www.myanmarchm.gov.mm/en_US/">http://www.myanmarchm.gov.mm/en_US/</a>
Namibia	<a href="https://www.met.gov.na/">https://www.met.gov.na/</a>
Netherlands	<a href="https://nl.chm-cbd.net/">https://nl.chm-cbd.net/</a>
New Zealand	<a href="https://www.doc.govt.nz/biodiversity">https://www.doc.govt.nz/biodiversity</a>
Niger	<a href="https://ne.chm-cbd.net/">https://ne.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Nigeria	<a href="http://www.chm-cbd.com.ng/">http://www.chm-cbd.com.ng/</a>
Norway	<a href="http://chm-root.eea.europa.eu/chm_no">http://chm-root.eea.europa.eu/chm_no</a>
Palau	<a href="http://palau.chm-cbd.net/">http://palau.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Panama	<a href="http://www.chmpanama.gob.pa/">http://www.chmpanama.gob.pa/</a>
Peru	<a href="https://www.gob.pe/minam">https://www.gob.pe/minam</a>
Philippines	<a href="https://www.cbd.int/countries/?country=ph">https://www.cbd.int/countries/?country=ph</a>
Poland	<a href="http://biodiv.gdos.gov.pl/">http://biodiv.gdos.gov.pl/</a>
Republic of Korea	<a href="http://www.cbd-chm.go.kr/english">http://www.cbd-chm.go.kr/english</a>
Romania	<a href="https://www.ccdg.ro/">https://www.ccdg.ro/</a>
Russian Federation	<a href="http://www.ruschm.ru/">http://www.ruschm.ru/</a>
Rwanda	<a href="https://rw.chm-cbd.net/">https://rw.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Saint Lucia	<a href="http://www.biodivslu.org/">http://www.biodivslu.org/</a>
Samoa	<a href="https://www.mnre.gov.ws/">https://www.mnre.gov.ws/</a>
Serbia	<a href="http://biodiverzitet-chm.rs/">http://biodiverzitet-chm.rs/</a>
Seychelles	<a href="http://seychellesbiodiversitychm.sc/">http://seychellesbiodiversitychm.sc/</a>
Slovakia	<a href="https://www.sazp.sk/public/index/index.php">https://www.sazp.sk/public/index/index.php</a>
Slovenia	<a href="http://chm.zrsvn.si/">http://chm.zrsvn.si/</a>
South Africa	<a href="https://www.environment.gov.za/">https://www.environment.gov.za/</a>
Spain	<a href="https://www.miteco.gob.es/es/sistema/includes/errores/404.aspx">https://www.miteco.gob.es/es/sistema/includes/errores/404.aspx</a>
Sri Lanka	<a href="http://lk.chm-cbd.net/">http://lk.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Sudan	<a href="https://sd.chm-cbd.net/">https://sd.chm-cbd.net/</a>

Sweden	<a href="https://www.naturvardsverket.se/cbd">https://www.naturvardsverket.se/cbd</a>
Switzerland	<a href="http://www.sib.admin.ch/">http://www.sib.admin.ch/</a>
Thailand	<a href="http://chm-thai.onep.go.th/">http://chm-thai.onep.go.th/</a>
Togo	<a href="https://tg.chm-cbd.net/">https://tg.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Trinidad and Tobago	<a href="https://www.ema.co.tt/">https://www.ema.co.tt/</a>
Tunisia	<a href="http://www.chm-biodiv.nat.tn/">http://www.chm-biodiv.nat.tn/</a>
Uganda	<a href="http://chm.nemaug.org/">http://chm.nemaug.org/</a>
United Arab Emirates	<a href="https://www.moccae.gov.ae/">https://www.moccae.gov.ae/</a>
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	<a href="https://uk.chm-cbd.net/">https://uk.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Uruguay	<a href="https://www.gub.uy/ministerio-vivienda-ordenamiento-territorial/">https://www.gub.uy/ministerio-vivienda-ordenamiento-territorial/</a>
Venezuela	<a href="http://diversidadbiologica.minamb.gob.ve/">http://diversidadbiologica.minamb.gob.ve/</a>
Yemen	<a href="https://ye.chm-cbd.net/">https://ye.chm-cbd.net/</a>
Zambia	<a href="https://zm.chm-cbd.net/">https://zm.chm-cbd.net/</a>