



**NOTIFICATION**

**Information webinar in preparation for the second meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources  
31 July 2024**

Dear Sir or Madam,

Further to notification [2024-035](#) on the second meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources (WGDSI-02), scheduled to take place from 12 to 16 August 2024 in Montreal, Canada, the Co-Chairs of the Committee of the Whole, supported by the Secretariat, will host an information webinar to update and provide information to Parties and stakeholders on the documents for the meeting and the organization of work.

The information webinar will be held on **31 July 2024, at 7:00 am EDT**. Please register using [this link](#).

The information webinar is scheduled to last 45 minutes and will be conducted in English only. It will be recorded and made available on the CBD website.

The documents for the WGDSI-02 meeting are available on the following webpage: <https://www.cbd.int/meetings/WGDSI-02>. A question-and-answer period will follow the presentation of the official documents for further clarity, if necessary.

I encourage Parties and observers to participate in the information webinar and take part in the question-and-answer session in preparation for their full and effective participation in the second meeting of the Working Group.

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

*(signed)* Astrid Schomaker  
Executive Secretary

To: CBD national focal points, ABS focal points, Cartagena Protocol focal points, indigenous peoples and local communities and relevant organizations

