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To: IOGOOS Officers, IOGOOS Members and Associate Members, Experts and Special Invitees

Subject: IOGOOS Workshop and Tenth Annual Meeting (IOGOOS X) during October 21 – 24, 2013 at Port Louis, Mauritius.

I have the honour to invite you to the IOGOOS Workshop and Tenth Annual Meeting (IOGOOS X) scheduled to be held at Port Louis, Mauritius during October 21-24, 2013. I am happy to inform you that the Ocean Matters Unit, Prime Minister's office of Mauritius has kindly agreed to host this important meeting. UNESCO IOC through Perth Regional Programme Office (PRPO) is also providing the sponsorship towards organisation of the meeting. The UNESCO Jakarta Office has provided facilitation and administration of the IOC PRPO sponsorship.


The venue of the meeting will be at Labourdnais Hotel, Caudan, Port Louis, Mauritius. The Ocean Matters Unit has negotiated with the hotel and obtained a very good rate for the delegate's accommodation during the meeting period. More details on logistics and accommodation booking reference will be made available shortly to make their bookings in advance.

The meeting agenda and other necessary documents are being compiled and will be made available shortly by e-mail as well as on the IOGOOS Website <http://www.incois.gov.in/Incois/iogoos/home.jsp>. I encourage you to distribute this notice to others in your community that might have an interest in participating. Please have them contact me for additional advice or information. Considering that funds to support travel and accommodation are limited, delegates are requested to support their own travel and accommodation.

I also request you to kindly confirm your willingness to participate in this important meeting at the earliest.

With best regards,

Yours Sincerely,


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