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Subject : Invitation to the 18th Senior Officials Meeting (SOM-18)

CTI-CFF Committee of Senior Officials
(Distribution List can be found in Attachment 1)

Excellencies,

I would like to extend my deepest gratitude for your unwavering support and guidance to the CTI-CFF Regional Secretariat.

The Regional Secretariat is pleased to invite you to the 18th Senior Officials Meeting (SOM-18) that will be conducted virtually through ZOOM. These meetings shall be preceded by Pre-Senior Officials Meeting with schedule as follows:

Pre-SOM : 3 November 2023, starts at 8:30 a.m. (GMT+8/Manado)
SOM-18 : 6-7 November 2023, starts at 9:00 a.m. (GMT+8/Manado)

Kindly refer to the Provisional Agenda of the meetings for your perusal (*Attachment 2*).

You and your country representatives' confirmation can be sent through the link provided below:

Pre-SOM Registration Link:

<https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0oc-irqj4iEtymbiQ9qco4d6jbpN8tfAdF>

SOM-18 Registration Link:

<https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0vfuCorT4sHtVlh11ITNcopMGondpoHabY>

After registering you will receive a confirmation email containing the link to join the respective meeting. Further, in ensuring the smooth conduct of these meetings, the Regional Secretariat suggests you refer to the attached guidelines on logistics supports to CT6 official representatives (*Attachment 3*).

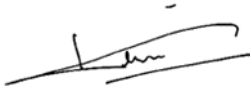
Additionally, the materials of each meeting can be accessed on this link:
https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1WgRlzz-njdKsFkX08iirPY-pS4uhWjWs?usp=drive_link

The Regional Secretariat looks forward to your participation to these meetings.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you the assurances of my highest consideration.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,



Dr. Mohd Kushairi Mohd Rajuddin

Executive Director

Attachments:

1. *CTI-CFF Committee of Senior Officials Distribution List,*
2. *Provisional Agenda of Pre-SOM and SOM-18,*
3. *Guidelines on Logistics Support to CT6 Official Representatives*

Attachment 1

Committee of Senior Officials Coral Triangle Initiatives on Coral Reefs, Fisheries and Food Security

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