



To: Addressee

Bilthoven, 28 January 2011

Subject: Second announcement and call for registration for the
21st CCE Workshop and the 27th Meeting of the Task Force M&M,
18-21 April 2011, Bilthoven, The Netherlands

It is our pleasure to invite you to participate in the upcoming CCE workshop and meeting of the TF M&M which will be held in Bilthoven from 18-21 April 2011.

You are welcomed on behalf of the National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM), home institute of the CCE as of 2011, and by the chair-woman, Dr. Anne-Christine Le Gall (INERIS, France) of the Task Force of the International Cooperative Programme on Modelling and Mapping of Critical Levels and Loads, Air Pollution Effects, Risks and Trends (ICP M&M).

This year's focus will be on your work and results of the call for data in general, and the dynamic modelling of vegetation changes in particular. While the call for data requested NFCs to report on site-specific simulations, we hope to use these findings as an input to stimulating discussions on options for regionalised applications of dynamic soil-vegetation model combinations. This is an important next step, because under the long-term strategy of the Convention, there is a demand for knowledge of changes to plant species diversity caused by air pollution under climate change in Europe.

Another important agenda item will address progress regarding the input of the Working Group on Effects to the Task Force on Integrated Assessment Modelling. This is likely to become a significant task in the coming year, because the Executive Body at its 28th session (Geneva, 13-17 December 2010) decided to have the negotiations on the revision of the Gothenburg protocol finalized in 2011.

Please note that Anne-Christine Le Gall and myself are reviewing possibilities to adapt the format of the meetings to allow finalization on Thursday 21 April at noon. We will inform you of these changes when we send out a first draft agenda.

Finally, also note that the logistics of the organization of the 2011 meetings are overseen by Carola Schinkel of "Tomorrow's Events" (carola.schinkel@tomorrowsevents.nl), via whom you received this first announcement and a registration form.

You are encouraged to send your registration to Carola Schinkel, as soon as possible but not later than 1 March 2011.

Looking forward to welcoming you in April.

Kind regards,

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