

Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore

Seventeenth Session
Geneva, December 6 to 10, 2010

VOLUNTARY FUND FOR ACCREDITED INDIGENOUS AND LOCAL COMMUNITIES: INFORMATION NOTE ON CONTRIBUTIONS AND APPLICATIONS FOR SUPPORT

Document prepared by the Secretariat

1. This document contains information required to be reported to the Intergovernmental Committee on Intellectual Property and Genetic Resources, Traditional Knowledge and Folklore ("the Committee") on the operation of the Voluntary Fund for Accredited Indigenous and Local Communities ("the Fund"). The rules are set out in the Annex to document WO/GA/32/6, which was approved by the General Assembly at its 32nd session on September 26 to October 5, 2005 and subsequently amended by the General Assembly at its 39th session in September 2010.
2. Article 6(f) of the rules states:
 - "(f) Before each Committee session, the WIPO Director General will communicate for the information of participants an information note setting out:
 - (i) the level of the voluntary contributions paid into the Fund on the date on which the document was drafted;
 - (ii) the identity of the contributors (unless individual contributors have expressly requested to remain anonymous);
 - (iii) the amount of the resources available taking into account the funds disbursed;

- (iv) the list of people who have benefited from the Fund's support since the previous information memorandum;
- (v) the people chosen to benefit from the Fund but who withdrew;
- (vi) the amount of the support allocated to each beneficiary; and,
- (vii) a sufficiently detailed description of the applicants seeking support for the following session.

This document will also be addressed by name to the members of the Advisory Board for examination and deliberation.”

3. The present document constitutes the ninth such information note, as required by the decision of the Assembly. The information required to be communicated to participants in the sixteenth session of the Committee is as follows:

Level of the voluntary contributions paid to the Fund until October 13, 2010, and names of the contributors:

- 86,092.60 Swiss francs (the equivalent of 500,000 Swedish crowns at the date) credited on November 7, 2006, by the Swedish International Biodiversity Programme (SwedBio/CBM);
- 31,684 Swiss francs (the equivalent of 20,000 euros at the date) credited on December 20, 2006, by the Government of France;
- 29,992.50 Swiss francs (the equivalent of 25,000 United States of America dollars at the date) credited on March 27, 2007, by the Christensen Fund;
- 150,000 Swiss francs credited on June 8, 2007, by the Swiss Federal Institute of Intellectual Property, Berne, Switzerland;
- 5,965.27 Swiss francs (the equivalent of 5,000 United States of America dollars at the date) credited on August 14, 2007, by the Ministry of Science and Technology, South Africa;
- 98,255.16 Swiss francs (the equivalent of 60,000 euros at the date) credited on December 20, 2007, by the Government of Norway; and
- 100,000 Swiss francs credited on February 7, 2008, by the Swiss Federal Institute of Intellectual Property, Berne, Switzerland.

Total amount of the voluntary contributions paid to the Fund until October 13, 2010: 501,989.53 Swiss francs.

Amount of the resources available:

- Amount available in the Fund on October 13, 2010 including bank interest: 122,893.27 Swiss francs.
- Amount committed based on a cost estimate made on October 13, 2010: 57,417 Swiss francs¹.
- Amount available in the Fund minus committed amount on October 13, 2010: 65,476 Swiss francs.

¹ The final expenditure will be provided with the next relevant information note related to the Voluntary Fund.

List of persons who benefited since the previous information note²:

For their participation in the sixteenth session of the Committee:

Mr. Babagana ABUBAKAR

Nationality: Nigeria

Mailing address: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Kanuri Development Association

Seat of the accredited observer: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria

Mr. Tomas ALARCÓN EYZAGUIRRE

Nationality: Peru

Mailing address: Tacna, Peru

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Comisión Jurídica para el Autodesarrollo de los Pueblos Originarios Andinos*

Seat of the accredited observer: Tacna, Peru

Mr. Ataur Rahman CHOWDURY

Nationality: Bangladesh

Mailing address: Dhaka, Bangladesh

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Organization for Social Action and Development

Seat of the accredited observer: Dhaka, Bangladesh

Mr. Badreldin Omer ELHAGMUSA

Nationality: Sudan

Mailing address: Khartoum, Sudan

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Sudanese Association For Archiving Knowledge (SUDAAK)

Seat of the accredited observer: Khartoum, Sudan

Ms. Debra HARRY

Nationality: United States of America

Mailing address: Nixon, NV, United States of America

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indigenous Peoples Council on Biocolonialism (IPCB)

Seat of the accredited observer: Nixon, NV, United States of America

Mrs. Jane Naini MERIWAS

Nationality: Kenya

Mailing address: Nanyuki, Kenya

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Samburu Women for Education and Environment Development Organization

Seat of the accredited observer: Nanyuki, Kenya

Mr. Joseph OGIERIAKHI

Nationality: Nigeria

Mailing address: Benin City, Nigeria

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: West Africa Coalition for Indigenous Peoples' Rights (WACIPR)

Seat of the accredited observer: Benin City, Nigeria

² See document [WIPO/GRTKF/IC/16/INF/6](#) dated May 6, 2010.

Mrs. Polina SHULBAEVA
Nationality: Russian Federation
Mailing address: Tomsk, Russian Federation
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Russian Association of Indigenous Peoples of the North (RAIPON)
Seat of the accredited observer: Moscow, Russian Federation

Ms. Maxine STOWE
Nationality: Jamaica
Mailing address: Elmont, New York, United States of America
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Ethio-Africa Diaspora Union Millenium Council
Seat of the accredited observer: Kingston, Jamaica

Applicants chosen to benefit from the Fund for the sixteenth session of the Committee but who withdrew:

Mr. Jury Alfredo GUTIERREZ MARISCAL³
Nationality: Bolivia
Mailing address: La Paz, Bolivia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indian Movement Tupaj Amaru
Seat of the accredited observer: Geneva, Switzerland

Mrs. Trudie BRODERICK⁴
Nationality: Australia
Mailing address: Woolloomooloo NSW, Australia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Arts Law Center of Australia
Seat of the accredited observer: Woolloomooloo NSW, Australia

For their participation in the seventeenth session of the Committee⁵:
(by alphabetical order)

Mr. Rodrigo DE LA CRUZ ILAGO
Nationality: Ecuador
Mailing address: Quito, Ecuador
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Call of the Earth *Llamado de la Tierra*
Seat of the accredited observer: Cusco, Peru

Mr. Albert DETERVILLE
Nationality: Saint Lucia
Mailing address: Castries, Saint Lucia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indigenous People (Bethéchilokono) of Saint Lucia Governing Council (BCG)
Seat of the accredited observer: Castries, Saint Lucia

³ The applicant did not reply to the letter inviting him to participate in the sixteenth session of the Committee

⁴ The accredited observer which nominated Mrs. Trudie Broderick withdrew its nomination following her departure from the employ of the observer

⁵ See the list of these beneficiaries in document [WIPO/GRTKF/IC/16/INF/6](#) dated May 6, 2010

Mrs. Lucia Fernanda INÁCIO BELFORT
Nationality: Brazil
Mailing address: Brasília, Brazil
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Instituto Indígena Brasileiro da Propriedade Intelectual (INBRAPI)
Seat of the accredited observer: Brasília, Brazil

Mrs. Verna MILLER
Nationality: Canada
Mailing address: Cache Creek, British Columbia, Canada
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: The Global Coalition for Biocultural Diversity/International Society of Ethnobiology\ (ISE)
Seat of the accredited observer: Bristol (VT), United States of America

Mr. Musa Usman NDAMBA
Nationality: Cameroon
Domicile: Bamenda, Cameroon
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Mbororo Social Cultural Development Association (MBOSCUDA)
Seat of the accredited observer: Bamenda, Cameroon

Mrs. Dora OGBOI
Nationality: Nigeria
Mailing address: Benin City, Nigeria
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: West Africa Coalition for Indigenous Peoples' Rights (WACIPR)
Seat of the accredited observer: Benin City, Nigeria

Mr. Maui SOLOMON
Nationality: New Zealand
Mailing address: Porirua, Aotearoa, New Zealand
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Hokotahi Moriori Trust
Seat of the accredited observer: Wellington, Aotearoa, New Zealand

Mr. Ngwang SONAM SHERPA
Nationality: Nepal
Mailing address: Kathmandu, Nepal
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Nepal Indigenous Nationalities Preservation Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Kathmandu, Nepal

Mr. Rodion SULYANDZIGA
Nationality: Russian Federation
Residence: Moscow, Russian Federation
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Russian Association of Indigenous Peoples of the North (RAIPON)
Seat of the accredited observer: Moscow, Russian Federation

Mr. Honor TOUDISSA MALANDA NGUE
Nationality: Congo
Mailing address: Brazzaville, Congo
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Congolese Association of Young Chefs and Gastrotechnie Consultancy International
Seat of the accredited observer: Ouenze, Brazzaville, Congo

Applicants chosen to benefit from the Fund for the sixteenth session of the Committee but who withdrew:

Mrs. Christina Saiti LOUWA
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Nairobi, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: El-Molo Eco-Tourism, Rights and Development Forum
Seat of the accredited observer: Nairobi, Kenya

Mrs. Tarcila RIVERA ZEA
Nationality: Peru
Mailing address: Lima, Peru
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Centro de Culturas Indígenas del Perú (CHIRAPAQ)
Seat of the accredited observer: Lima, Peru

Disbursed for his participation in the fifteenth session of the Committee:

Mr. Santos Tzorin JULAJUJ: 2,051.61⁶

Disbursed for their participation in the sixteenth session of the Committee:

Mr. Babagana ABUBAKAR: 5,442.25 Swiss francs

Mr. Tomas ALARCON EYZAGUIRRE: 5,500.35 Swiss francs

Mr. Ataur Rahman CHOWDURY: 6,034.00 Swiss francs

Mr. Badreldin Omer ELHAGMUSA: 3,946.37 Swiss francs

Ms. Debra HARRY: 5,516.05 Swiss francs

Mrs. Jane Naini MERIWAS: 4,014.79 Swiss francs

Mr. Joseph OGIERIAKHI: 5,291.80 Swiss francs

Mrs. Polina SHULBAEVA: 5,768.85 Swiss francs

Ms. Maxine STOWE: 3,390.16 Swiss francs

Committed for their participation in the seventeenth session of the Committee⁷:

Mr. Rodrigo DE LA CRUZ ILAGO: 5,930 Swiss francs

Mr. Albert DETERVILLE: 5,730 Swiss francs

Mrs. Lucia Fernanda INÁCIO BELFORT: 6,230 Swiss francs

Mrs. Verna MILLER: 6,230 Swiss francs

Mr. Musa Usman NDAMBA: 4,930 Swiss francs

Mrs. Dora OGBOI: 5,230 Swiss francs

⁶ Final disbursement for Mr. Santos Tzorin JULAJUJ's air ticket finalized on 16 April, 2010. See document [WIPO/GRTKF/IC/16/INF/4](#), p. 8, footnote 9.

⁷ The final expenditure will be provided with the next relevant information note related to the Voluntary Fund.

Mr. Maui SOLOMON: 7,030 Swiss francs

Mr. Ngwang SONAM SHERPA: 6,030 Swiss francs

Mr. Rodion SULTYANDZIGA: 4,347 Swiss francs

Mr. Honor TOUDISSA MALANDA NGUE: 5,730 Swiss francs

List of the applicants seeking support for the eighteenth session of the Committee:
(by alphabetical order)

Mr. Babagana ABUBAKAR

Nationality: Nigeria

Mailing address: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Kanuri Development Association*

Seat of the accredited observer: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria

Mr. Nadir ADILOV

Nationality: Azerbaijan

Mailing address: Baku, Azerbaijan

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Azerbaijan Lawyers Confederation*

Seat of the accredited observer: Baku, Azerbaijan

Mrs. Ali Ali SHATU

Nationality: Cameroon

Mailing address: Bamenda, Cameroon

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Mbororo Social Cultural Development Association (MBOSCUDA)*

Seat of the accredited observer: Bamenda, Cameroon

Mrs. Elida Cristina AJSAC CHICOL

Nationality: Guatemala

Mailing address: Guatemala City

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Maya To'Onik Association*

Seat of the accredited observer: Guatemala City

Mr. Roger ALARCON LIMACHE

Nationality: Peru

Mailing address: Tacna, Peru

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Comisión Jurídica para el Autodesarrollo de los Pueblos Originarios Andinos*

Seat of the accredited observer: Tacna, Peru

Mr. Siddhartha Priya ASHOK

Nationality: India

Mailing address: Sivasagar (Assam), India

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *National Educational Social and Traditional Knowledge (NEST) Foundation*

Seat of the accredited observer: Sivasagar (Assam), India

Mr. Ani CASIMIR CHUKWUNONYELUM KINGSTON

Nationality: Nigeria

Mailing address: Nsukka (Enugu Enugu), Nigeria

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Centre for Peace Building and Poverty Reduction among Indigenous African Peoples

Seat of the accredited observer: Nsukka (Enugu Enugu), Nigeria

Mrs. Christine Verdin CONNOR

Nationality: United States of America

Mailing address: Montegut (LA), United States of America

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Southeast Indigenous People's Center

Seat of the accredited observer: Eatonton (Georgia), United States of America

Mr. Albert DETERVILLE

Nationality: Saint Lucia

Mailing address: Castries, Saint Lucia

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indigenous People (Bethechilokono) of Saint Lucia Governing Council (BCG)

Seat of the accredited observer: Castries, Saint Lucia

Mr. Guy Antoine DZE NGUESSE

Nationality: Cameroun

Mailing address: Douala, Cameroon

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Cercle d'initiative commune pour la recherche, l'environnement et la qualité (CICREQ)

Seat of the accredited observer: Douala, Cameroon

Mr. Diego Ivan ESCOBAR GUZMAN

Nationality: Colombia

Mailing address: Quito, Ecuador

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Coordinadora Indigena de la Cuenca Amazónica*

Seat of the accredited observer: Quito, Ecuador

Ms. Debra HARRY

Nationality: United States of America

Mailing address: Nixon, NV, United States of America

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indigenous Peoples Council on Biocolonialism (IPCB)

Seat of the accredited observer: Nixon, NV, United States of America

Mr. Juan Carlos JINTIACH ARCOS

Nationality: Ecuador

Mailing address: Quito, Ecuador

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Coordinadora Indigena de la Cuenca Amazónica*

Seat of the accredited observer: Quito, Ecuador

Ms. Jackline Margis KURARU

Nationality: Kenya

Mailing address: Nanyuki - Laikipia, Kenya

Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Maasai Cultural Heritage Foundation

Seat of the accredited observer: Nanyuki - Laikipia, Kenya

Mr. Paul KURUK
Nationality: Ghana
Mailing address: Accra, Ghana
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Institute for African Development (INADEV)
Seat of the accredited observer: Accra, Ghana

Mr. Arnold Christopher LAISSER
Nationality: Tanzania
Mailing address: Arusha, Tanzania
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Olaji Lo Larusa Integrated Program for Agro-Pastoralists Development (OLIPAD)
Seat of the accredited observer: Arusha, Tanzania

Mrs. Irene LESHORE
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Maralal Samburu, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Nainyoi Community Development Organization
Seat of the accredited observer: Maralal Samburu, Kenya

Mrs. Christina Saiti LOUWA
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Nairobi, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: El-Molo Eco-Tourism, Rights and Development Forum
Seat of the accredited observer: Nairobi, Kenya

Mrs. Jane Naini MERIWAS
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Nanyuki, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Samburu Women for Education and Environment Development Organization*
Seat of the accredited observer: Nanyuki, Kenya

Mr. Jebra Ram MUCHAHARY
Nationality: India
Mailing address: Bijnai (Assam), India
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indian Confederation of Indigenous and Tribal Peoples North East Zone
Seat of the accredited observer: Guwahati (Assam), India

Mrs. Cecilia NDIFON
Nationality: Cameroon
Mailing address: Mankon-Bamenda, Cameroon
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Association for the Reconstruction and Development of the Moko-oh Peoples
Seat of the accredited observer: Mankon-Bamenda, Cameroon

Mr. Joseph OGIERIAKHI
Nationality: Nigeria
Mailing address: Benin City, Nigeria
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: West Africa Coalition for Indigenous Peoples' Rights (WACIPR)
Seat of the accredited observer: Benin City, Nigeria

Mr. Joseph OLESARIOYO
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Nanyuki, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indigenous Laikipiak
Maasai Integrated Youth Organization (Ilamayio Foundation)
Seat of the accredited observer: Nanyuki, Kenya

Mrs. Tarcila RIVERA ZEA
Nationality: Peru
Mailing address: Lima, Peru
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Centro de Culturas
Indígenas del Perú (CHIRAPAQ)
Seat of the accredited observer: Lima, Peru

Mr. Stephen RWAGWERI
Nationality: Uganda
Mailing address: Fort Portal, Uganda
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Engabu Za Tooro
(Tooro Youth Platform for Action)
Seat of the accredited observer: Fort Portal, Uganda

Mr. Charles SALIL KIPLAGAT
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Eldoret, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Centre for African
Culture and Traditional Indigenous Knowledge
Seat of the accredited observer: Eldoret, Kenya

Mr. Lakshmikanta SINGH
Nationality: Bangladesh
Mailing address: Sylhet, Bangladesh
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Ethnic Community
Development Organization (ECDO)
Seat of the accredited observer: Sylhet, Bangladesh

Ms. Nongpoklai SINHA
Nationality: Bangladesh
Mailing address: Sylhet, Bangladesh
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Ethnic Community
Development Organization (ECDO)
Seat of the accredited observer: Sylhet, Bangladesh

Mr. Ngwang SONAM SHERPA
Nationality: Nepal
Mailing address: Kathmandu, Nepal
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Nepal Indigenous
Nationalities Preservation Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Kathmandu, Nepal

Mr. Honor TOUDISSA MALANDA
Nationality: Congo
Mailing address: Brazzaville, Congo
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Congolese Association
of Young Chefs and Gastrotechnie Consultancy International
Seat of the accredited observer: Ouenze, Brazzaville, Congo

Ms. Fawsia YOUSIF GALALELDIN
Nationality: Sudan
Mailing address: Khartoum, Sudan
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: The Sudanese
Association for Archiving Knowledge (SUDAAK)
Seat of the accredited observer: Khartoum, Sudan

List of the applicants seeking support for the next Intersessional Working Group on
Traditional Knowledge:
(by alphabetical order)

Mr. Babagana ABUBAKAR
Nationality: Nigeria
Mailing address: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Kanuri Development
Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria

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Nationality: India
Mailing address: Sivasagar (Assam), India
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: National Educational
Social and Traditional Knowledge (NEST) Foundation
Seat of the accredited observer: Sivasagar (Assam), India

Ms. Rose ATENG MBAH
Nationality: Cameroon
Mailing address: Bamenda, Cameroon
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Rural Women
Environmental Protection Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Bamenda, Cameroon

Mr. Ani CASIMIR CHUKWUNONYELUM KINGSTON
Nationality: Nigeria
Mailing address: Nsukka (Enugu Enugu), Nigeria
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Centre for Peace
Building and Poverty Reduction among Indigenous African Peoples
Seat of the accredited observer: Nsukka (Enugu Enugu), Nigeria

Mrs. Edna Maria DA COSTA E SILVA
Nationality: Brazil
Mailing address: Belém, Brazil
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Cooperativa Ecológica
de las mujeres colectoras de la isla de Marajó* (CEMEM)
Seat of the accredited observer: Belém, Brazil

Mr. Albert DETERVILLE
Nationality: Saint Lucia
Mailing address: Castries, Saint Lucia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indigenous People
(Betheschilokono) of Saint Lucia Governing Council (BCG)
Seat of the accredited observer: Castries, Saint Lucia

Mr. Preston HARDISON
Nationality: United States of America
Mailing address: Seattle, WA, United States of America
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Tulalip Tribes of Washington, Governmental Affairs Department
Seat of the accredited observer: Tulalip, WA, United States of America

Mrs. Kathy HODGSON-SMITH
Nationality: Canada
Mailing address: Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Métis National Council
Seat of the accredited observer: Ottawa, Canada

Mr. Joseph LESHORE
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Maralal, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Nainyokie Community Development Organization
Seat of the accredited observer: Maralal, Kenya

Mr. Clarence Bongkos MALAKUN
Nationality: Malaysia
Mailing address: Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Kadazandusun Cultural Association Sabah
Seat of the accredited observer: Penampang, Sabah, Malaysia

Mr. Les MALEZER
Nationality: Australia
Mailing address: Karalee (Australia)
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Foundation for Aboriginal and Islander Research Action (FAIRA)
Seat of the accredited observer: Woolloongabba, Australia

Mrs. Ghislaine MAOMBI NGALYA
Nationality: Democratic Republic of Congo
Mailing address: Bukavu, Democratic Republic of Congo
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Centre d'accompagnement des Autochtones pygmées et minoritaires vulnérables* (CAMV)
Seat of the accredited observer: Bukavu, Democratic Republic of Congo

Mrs. Jane Naini MERIWAS
Nationality: Kenya
Mailing address: Nanyuki, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Samburu Women for Education and Environment Development Organization
Seat of the accredited observer: Nanyuki, Kenya

Mr. Alancay MORALES GARRO
Nationality: Costa Rica
Mailing address: San José, Costa Rica
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Kus Kura el León Sociedad Civil
Seat of the accredited observer: San José, Costa Rica

Mr. John NDAFA NYUMU
Nationality: Kenya
Domicile: Nakuru, Kenya
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Rift Valley Voluntary
Counsellors
Seat of the accredited observer: Nakuru, Kenya

Mr. Musa Usman NDAMBA
Nationality: Cameroon
Domicile: Bamenda, Cameroon
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Mbororo Social
Cultural Development Association (MBOSCUDA)
Seat of the accredited observer: Bamenda, Cameroon

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Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: West Africa Coalition
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Mailing address: Elmont, New York, United States of America
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Ethio-Africa Diaspora
Union Millenium Council
Seat of the accredited observer: Kingston, Jamaica

Mr. Banabas Benedict TAPIN
Nationality: Malaysia
Mailing address: Penampang, Sabah, Malaysia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Kadazandusun Cultural
Association Sabah
Seat of the accredited observer: Penampang, Sabah, Malaysia

Mr. Lah Jau UYO
Nationality: Malaysia
Domicile: Sarawak, Malaysia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Sarawak Kayan Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Sarawak, Malaysia

List of the applicants seeking support for the next Intersessional Working Group on Genetic Resources:
(by alphabetical order)

Mr. Babagana ABUBAKAR
Nationality: Nigeria
Mailing address: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Kanuri Development Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Maiduguri (Borno), Nigeria

Mr. Tomas ALARCÓN EYZAGUIRRE
Nationality: Peru
Mailing address: Tacna, Peru
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Comisión Jurídica para el Autodesarrollo de los Pueblos Originarios Andinos*
Seat of the accredited observer: Tacna, Peru

Ms. Rose ATENG MBAH
Nationality: Cameroon
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Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Rural Women Environmental Protection Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Bamenda, Cameroon

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Nationality: Saint Lucia
Mailing address: Castries, Saint Lucia
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Indigenous People (Bethelchilokono) of Saint Lucia Governing Council (BCG)
Seat of the accredited observer: Castries, Saint Lucia

Mr. José Bautista FLORES
Nationality: Argentina
Mailing address: Posada, Misiones, Argentina
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: *Consejo de Caciques de la Nación Mbya Guarani*
Seat of the accredited observer: Posada, Misiones, Argentina

Mr. Marcus GOFFE
Nationality: Jamaica
Mailing address: Kingston, Jamaica
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Ethio-Africa Diaspora Union Millenium Council
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Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Tulalip Tribes of Washington, Governmental Affairs Department
Seat of the accredited observer: Tulalip, WA, United States of America

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Mailing address: Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Métis National Council
Seat of the accredited observer: Ottawa, Canada

Mr. Les MALEZER
Nationality: Australia
Mailing address: Karalee (Australia)
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Foundation for Aboriginal and Islander Research Action (FAIRA)
Seat of the accredited observer: Woolloongabba, Australia

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Seat of the accredited observer: Nanyuki, Kenya

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Nationality: Costa Rica
Mailing address: San José, Costa Rica
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Kus Kura el León Sociedad Civil
Seat of the accredited observer: San José, Costa Rica

Mr. Ngwang SONAM SHERPA
Nationality: Nepal
Mailing address: Kathmandu, Nepal
Name of the accredited observer which nominates the candidate: Nepal Indigenous Nationalities Preservation Association
Seat of the accredited observer: Kathmandu, Nepal

4. The Committee is invited to take note of the content of this document.

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