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and Climate Change Focal Points

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SUBJECT: **SAVE THE DATE:** 29th April – 1st May 2020
Workshop - Enhancing Action on Comprehensive Climate Change Risk
Management in the Pacific Region, Pacific Climate Change Centre, Apia, Samoa

Dear Focal Points,

The Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) through the GIZ funded “Enhancing action on comprehensive climate change risk management in the Pacific Region” Project will convene a Pacific Workshop to consider progress in relation to the Pacific Islands Climate Change Insurance Facility. This will be held from 29 April to 1 May 2020 at the Pacific Climate Change Centre at SPREP in Apia, Samoa.

The objectives of the workshop are to discuss:

- a. a parametric insurance facility to address both short term and slow onset climate change risks;
- b. a clearinghouse of insurance products available or to be developed in the region; and
- c. an industry monitoring facility to provide better information to business, individuals and governments on climate related disaster risks.

SPREP will fund two participants from each Pacific Party to the UNFCCC to participate in the workshop.

Invitations and further information will be circulated in early March 2020.

Kind regards,



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