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SUBJECT: Pacific Ocean Pacific Climate Change Conference, 27-30 October 2020
(Virtual)

Dear Members and Partners,

Further to Circular 20/17 I am pleased to inform you that the Pacific Ocean Pacific Climate Change Conference originally scheduled for 26 to 29 May will now convene virtually from 27 to 30 October 2020. This will be the third such conference since it was first hosted by Victoria University of Wellington in 2016 and the first time hosted in the Pacific, as a virtual event.

The Pacific Ocean Pacific Climate Change Conference is a partnership with the Government of Samoa between Victoria University of Wellington, National University of Samoa and SPREP. The conference will focus on how Pacific island countries are responding to the challenges of the Paris Agreement and the nexus of climate change and oceans.

For more information please visit the Conference website <https://pacificoceanclimatechange.org/> for the latest programme including list of keynote speakers and presenters from throughout the Pacific region and beyond. Conference registrations are also open to the public at the following link <https://vuw.eventsair.com/popccc2020/popccc2020registration/Site/Register> for the flat rate of NZD\$ 25 per person for the whole conference duration.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Secretariat for further information and/or assistance. We encourage all of our Members and Partners to participate in this exciting conference and to share this opportunity with your respective networks.

Kind regards,

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