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**To:** UNFCCC COP26 Political Climate Champions

PSIDS National Climate Change Focal Points

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**cc:** One CROP Plus (PIFS, SPC, FFA, USP, PIDF, UNEP (Apia Office), UNDP (Fiji Office))

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**SUBJECT:** Invitation to the High-Level Launch Event: Amplifying our Pacific Voice at UNFCCC COP26 through Political Climate Champions  
*Hosted Virtually from the Pacific Climate Change Centre, SPREP  
Tuesday 5 October 2021  
11:00 – 12:00 Samoa Local time*

Dear Excellencies,

The Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP), in partnership with the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat (PIFS) and the One CROP Plus team, have the honour to invite you to the Official Launch Event of the UNFCCC COP26 Political Climate Champions initiative on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> of October 2021. The event will be held at 11:00 am and ends at 12noon Samoa Local Time.

The UNFCCC COP26 Political Climate Champions are an integral component of the Pacific approach to COP26 in Glasgow to ensure our key climate messages are amplified on the world stage. There are five Pacific priorities which the Political Climate Champions will be advocating for that include: Climate Finance, Climate Ambition, Environmental Integrity, Loss and Damage, and Oceans.

The details of the Launch Event are available in the agenda attached. For further information and/or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the Climate Finance Adviser and Team Leader for Climate Change Resilience of PIFS, Mr. Exsley Taloiburi ([ExsleyT@forumsec.org](mailto:ExsleyT@forumsec.org)) and the Acting Communications and Outreach Adviser for SPREP, Ms. Nanette Woonton ([nanettew@sprep.org](mailto:nanettew@sprep.org)).

On behalf of your One CROP Plus team, thank you for your continued support. We look forward to hosting your virtual presence at this High-Level Launch Event: Amplifying our Pacific Voice at UNFCCC COP26 through Political Climate Champions.

Yours sincerely,



Kosi Latu  
**Director General**