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In reply please refer to: (WP) RDO/NV/22/04 Prière de rappeler la référence: To all Non-State Actors in Official Relations with WHO

The World Health Organization (WHO) Regional Office for the Western Pacific invites you to select representatives to attend, as observers, the seventy-third session of the World Health Organization (WHO) Regional Committee for the Western Pacific, to be held from 24 to 28 October 2022 in Manila, Philippines.

This year's session is proposed to be a "hybrid" meeting, with Member State representatives and core members of the Secretariat participating in Manila and others, including non-State actors in official relations with WHO and other observers, participating virtually via the Zoom videoconference platform.

To ensure the safety of all participants, the WHO Regional Office is using a risk-based approach, in which risks are regularly assessed while organizing mitigation measures. Should the COVID-19 situation allow for increased capacity, an invitation for in-person attendance of observers may be extended at a later date.

The provisional agenda is attached. Also included are the guidelines for participation in the session.

The Office of the Regional Director kindly requests responses by email to WPRpartnerships@who.int no later than 22 September 2022, regarding your intentions to select representatives to attend the session as observers.

Further, your representatives are requested to complete and submit the online registration form no later than 22 September 2022 at: http://extranet.wpro.who.int/rcm/Register/.

The virtual meeting platform and connection details will be communicated separately.

Thank you.

Manila, 7 September 2022

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