

To: All Member States and Permanent Delegations to UNESCO (Members and Non-Members of the IHP Council)

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The Assistant Director-General for Priority Africa and External Relations a.i.

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Sir/Madam,

On behalf of the Director-General, I have the honour to invite you to attend, as Observer, the 64th session of the Intergovernmental Hydrological Programme (IHP) Bureau, which will take place on 29 and 30 April 2025 at UNESCO Headquarters in Paris, in Room XI.

The Bureau will be covering, among other matters, the following items: progress report on the implementation of IHP-IX including the operationalization of the IHP-IX established working groups, updates on the Celebration of the 50th anniversary of IHP and 60 years of water sciences at UNESCO and the establishment of the task force on the pre-feasibility study of UNESCO water sciences report as well as IHP's role in key international events and agendas.

As per the IHP Statutes and Rules of Procedure, this meeting of the Bureau members will be open to Observers. The session will take place in person, with a webcast available for those who wish to follow the proceedings online.

You will find enclosed the provisional agenda. The link to follow the event via webcast and relevant documents will be shared in due course.

We look forward to your participation and thank you for your continued support to the work of the Intergovernmental Hydrological Programme.

Accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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cc: To all National Commission to UNESCO

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Provisional agenda of the 64<sup>th</sup> Session of the IHP Bureau