

Dear members,

11th Plenary meeting of the United Nations Global Geospatial Information Management for Asia and the Pacific

09:30-06:00 pm (GMT+5:30 India time), 14 October 2022, India, Hyderabad

It is my pleasure to invite you to the 11th Plenary meeting of the United Nations Global Geospatial Information Management for Asia and the Pacific to be held on 14 October 2022, in Hyderabad, India, hosted by Survey of India. The Plenary meeting will be held as a side event at the Second United Nations World Geospatial Information Congress (https://unwgic2022.in/)

Please register for the Plenary meeting at https://unwgic2022.in/registration.php to guarantee that you receive an invitation letter from the host organization in time for visa processing.

Also, as decided during the ad hoc Executive Board meeting on Monday, 29 August 2022 and in accordance with Article 10 of the UN-GGIM-AP statutes, the election of the President, Vice President, and new EB will take place in Hyderabad on 14 October 2022, during the 11th Plenary meeting of the UN-GGIM-AP. The tentative agenda is attached for your information. The information note for UNWGIC2022 and venue of UN-GGIM-AP-11 is also attached.

I am sure that the Plenary meeting will provide a great opportunity to share and exchange experience and capabilities among member countries to boost knowledge and expertise in the geospatial information field. Furthermore, this meeting could provide the necessary bases for more active cooperation and also maintain and develop ties among member countries in different aspects. Our Working Groups may also meet at the Plenary; further information on these meetings will be provided soon.

I appreciate your valuable presence in this meeting and wish for the full participation of your delegation. Please contact Mr. Hamid Mehmood, Economic Affairs Officer, Space Applications Section, Information and Communications Technology and Disaster Risk Reduction Division, at hamid.mehmood@un.org with any questions you may have.

I look forward to seeing you in Hyderabad, Indi

Best regards,

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Simon Costello

President, UN-GGIM-AP