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**Subject: Invitation to the Asia Pacific Climate Week (APCW) 2021 Side Event**

Dear **Director Ferrer**:

The **Southeast Asian Regional Center for Graduate Study and Research in Agriculture (SEARCA)** has been selected to conduct a two-hour side event on the coming Asia Pacific Climate Week (APCW) 2021. In particular, our side event titled “**Advancing Jurisdictional Sustainability Approach and its Potential for Climate Financing in Southeast Asia**” will be held on **07 July 2021 (Wednesday), 3:00 – 5:00 PM (Tokyo Time)/ 2:00 – 4:00 PM (Manila Time)**.

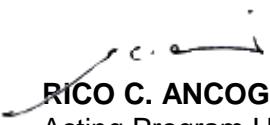
This session is motivated to raise awareness, interest, and spark dialogues on the concept of jurisdictional sustainability and its influence in accessing climate finance to support climate resilient initiatives for various landscapes.

Attached herewith is the side event flyer including the tentative program for your reference. Should you and/or your staff be interested in this event, kindly register through this link: <https://bit.ly/SEARCASideEvent>.

For any clarifications, kindly contact Ms. Christina Corales, Program Specialist, through email at [mcgc@searca.org](mailto:mcgc@searca.org) or thru (049) 554-9930 local 3303.

Thank you very much and we look forward to your participation.

Truly yours,



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