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ITU Members, Regulators and Sector  
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Subject: **ITU Asia-Pacific Centre of Excellence Training on "Green ICTs and Smart Grids", 15 - 18 September 2015, Bangkok, Thailand**

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to invite your organization to participate in the face-to-face training on **"Green ICTs and Smart Grids"** to be held in Bangkok, Thailand from 15-18 September 2015. This training is organized jointly by the International Telecommunication Union and the Ministry of ICT, Thailand as part of the policy and Regulation programme under the auspices of the ITU Centres of Excellence for Asia-Pacific region. The training will be delivered in English.

This training will build skills on the required actions for Climate Change mitigation and adaptation and the role that ICT plays in tackling it. It will explain the underlying concepts and the role that a wide range of stakeholders must play in developing the policies, regulations, technologies and standards that will improve energy efficiency and reduce GHG emissions through a range of mitigating technologies with a focus on smart grids, and enable countries and societies to better adapt to climate change.

Detailed information on this training is described in the training outline which can be downloaded from the ITU Academy Portal at the following link <http://academy.itu.int/> and at <http://www.itu.int/itu-d/asp>. The training is targeted at policy makers, regulators, service providers interested in learning how they can shape their ICT / telecommunication strategies to address climate change issues.

Registration for the training should be made online at the aforementioned link no later than 31 August 2015. The training is offered free of charge with support from the National Broadcasting and Telecommunications Commission, Thailand. However, participants will need to cover their cost of travel, stay, meals etc.

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Additional information on this training, such as an information note for participants, including a list of recommended hotels, is available at the ITU Academy Portal at <http://academy.itu.int/index.php/events>.

We look forward to your active participation and invaluable contribution.

Yours faithfully,

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